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"NO OFFICIAL CONSIDERS POSTPONEMENT TO 1905"

--PRESIDENT FRANCIS

Dispatches From New York Say Willard Smith of the Transportation Department Told Santos-Dumont That the Fair Would Be Postponed to 1904.

FUNDS NEEDED AT PRESENT

Special telegrams from New York to the Post-Dispatch Monday morning state that Willard Smith, chief of the transportation department of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co., told Santos-Dumont that the World's Fair would not be held before 1904.

In response to an inquiry from the Post-Dispatch as to whether it had been decided to postpone the Fair, President Francis dictated the following statement at noon today:

"Neither the board of directors nor the executive committee has taken any formal action concerning a postponement of the Exposition.

"It seems impossible to prevent agitation of the subject. Personally I should prefer the Exposition to be held in 1903.

"I am, and have been for more than one year past devoting all of my time and thought to the Fair, and of course, should like to be relieved of the strain at the earliest practicable date.

"My wishes and interests, however, should and will be subordinated to the success of the Exposition.

EXPENSES EXCEED FUNDS.

"We are making excellent progress in the physical work, and although we have met with some slight disappointments in promotion and exploitation, we have every reason to be encouraged by the present status.

"As stated by me yesterday, or Saturday, our contracts and expenses up to this time are in excess of our available funds.

"We cannot expect an additional payment from our stockholders before Sept. 12.

"We have called 50 per cent of the $5,000,000 subscriptions, and that amounts to only $2,500,000, which is less than the aggregate of expenditures and outstanding contracts.

"We are, therefore, depending upon the proceeds of sale of city bonds, which the mayor and comptroller have informed me will be advertised in the very near future and sold during the first half of May.

"Two or three foreign governments that have formerly declined the invitation of the President to participate in our exposition have been asked to reconsider, and our information is to the effect that they may conclude to do so.

"I can only say for the information of the public that we are making every exertion to induce every foreign government of importance to participate, to the end that we may carry out our plans and meet the expectations of the people to hold in St. Louis a truly universal exposition in celebration of the Louisiana Purchase.

"IF IN THE JUDGMENT OF THE LOCAL COMPANY, APPROVAL BY THE NATIONAL COMMISSION, CONGRESS AND THE ADMINISTRATION, ANY POSTPONEMENT IS THOUGHT NECESSARY, THAT STEP WILL BE TAKEN IN DUE TIME, BUT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OR ANYONE CONNECTED OFFICIALLY WITH THE EXPOSITION, CONSIDER FOR A MOMENT A POSTPONEMENT TO 1905, WHICH, ACCORDING TO THE MORNING PAPERS, SANTOS-DUMONT HAS STATED HAS BEEN DECIDED UPON."

TONIGHT SANTOS STARTS FOR ST. LOUIS

WIZARD OF THE AIR MEETS WIZARD OF ELECTRICITY.

A DAY IN EDISON'S SHOPS

Santos Is Willing to Quit France and Make This Country Scene of Experiments.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NORFOLK, April 14.—M. Santos-Dumont starts for St. Louis by way of Washington tonight.

The wizard of the air and Thomas A. Edison, wizard of electricity, met yesterday and spent an hour together, the daring young Brazilian being taken on a special tour of inspection through Edison's great laboratory and workshops at Orange, N. J.

During the time they were together it was developed that Santos-Dumont is willing to leave France and make New York the permanent seat of his investigations and experiments.

It was also learned that he hopes to equip his latest flying machine with the first of the wonderful storage batteries that Edison is now perfecting for the market

The announcement was made, too, that at a luncheon to be held today, Mr. Eugene Lewis will learn the wishes of Santos-Dumont and will start the preliminary arrangements for raising a large fund to induce the aerial navigator to make New York his home. Edison, by way of encouragement, said that he himself had in earlier days given some considerable thought to aerial navigation, and believes that the problem is not difficult.

Santos-Dumont will start for St. Louis by way of Washington tonight.

RAIN PREDICTED FOR TONIGHT

Wet Weather May Continue Tuesday and After Then the Temperature Will Rise.

"There is no prospect for warmer weather immediately," the weather bureau, through Assistant Forecaster Spencer, announced Monday morning.

IT'S GOING TO RAIN HARD

Missouri and Illinois are entertaining the "high" that had a prominent place all last week in the northwestern corner of the weather map. Its progress is slow, and it may be with us until Wednesday or longer.

The only hope the fan has for baseball weather is in a rain that is moving this way from the southwest. It has already entered Missouri, and Mr. Spencer says it will reach St. Louis by Monday night and probably tarry here over Tuesday.

"After the rain, I expect the temperature to rise slowly," he said, "but until this low is out of the way top coats will be as comfortable as they are stylish."

The temperature in St. Louis Monday morning was 44.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

RAIN TUESDAY.

St. Louis and vicinity—Rain Monday night obably Tuesday.

WITNESS "FIXING" CHARGE TAKEN UP

CIRCUIT ATTORNEY WILL INVESTIGATE KAHA INCIDENT.

CITY ATTORNEY COMPLAINS

He Says Light Has Been Thrown on Frequent Disappearances of Prosecuting Witnesses.

Circuit Attorney Folk said Monday morning that he would investigate thoroughly the charge, submitted to him by City Attorney Perry Post Taylor, that an attempt was made Saturday by Louis H. Kaha to "fix" the case against Frank J. Walters, charged with disturbing the peace of his wife.

Kaha, who was ordered by Judge Sidener Saturday to leave the courtroom after the occurrence had come to light, approached the judge before court convened Monday morning and attempted to explain the incident.

"I don't want to hear anything more from you," remarked Judge Sidener. "You will have a chance to clear yourself in this matter if you are able to."

The judge said that he would instruct the deputy marshals to keep Kaha outside the court railing in future.

Mrs. Walters appeared in court Saturday, and Judge Sidener and Mr. Taylor say that she was met in the hallway by Kaha, who told her to go home, and after receiving $3 from her said that the case against her husband would be attended to. A policeman who knew of the case brought the woman back to the courtroom, where she told her story.

Judge Sidener ordered that Kaha leave the courtroom, and Deputy Marshal Randolph Scullin arose to execute the order, but Kaha left without forcible ejectment.

"In a number of cases lately," said City Attorney Taylor, "witnesses have mysteriously disappeared, making conviction impossible. We have known that some court hanger-on was responsible for these occurrences, but have not been able to trace them. In this sase I think the evidence is plain, and I have Mr. Folk's assurance that the matter will be thoroughly investigated."

The People Know
They Are the Best,
'Cause P.-D. Wants
Have Stood the Test.

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See Today's "Want"
Ad Pages.
Full of Goodies.

BRUSSELS FILLED WITH SOLDIERS

Strikes in Belgian Cities Add to the Danger.

TROOPS HAVE LOADED ARMS

FURTHER CONFLICTS IN THE STREETS SEEM PROBABLE.

General Strikes Have Been Ordered in the Great Coal Mines and Glass Factories of the Central Districts.

CAUSE OF REVOLT.

The Belgium Socialists and Liberals have been seeking to force the clerical government to an issue on the question of electoral law, modification of which will necessitate a revision of the constitution.

At the present time any elector can cast from one to three votes, according to his qualifications. The Socialists and Liberals claim that workingmen cannot obtain more than two votes, whereas the rich get three; and moreover, that in the rural districts voters who are under the domination of the priests and who support the present government are often fraudulently given three votes instead of two, to which, at the most, they are entitled.

The soul of the Socialist movement in Belgium is M. Van der Velde, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, who is a brilliant speaker and has great influence over the masses. He is tall and lithe, with a quiet manner. He recently married an English woman who is also an active Socialist and is president of the Woman's Federation of Belgium.

Belgium is the most densely populated country in Europe. The population is made up of Flemings, of the Germanic race, and Walloons, of the French race. French is the official language of the country.

BRUSSELS, April 14.—Brussels' streets are filled with soldiers. On every hand is seen the glint of the bayonet. Every soldier of the 2500 on duty carries a weapon loaded with ball.

The center of the agitation is the Maison du People (House of the People), the headquarters of the socialists, situated on the upper slope of a hill, that of the central boulevard, and most of the business portion of the city lies at the foot of this hill, while the royal palace, the law courts, the Chamber of Deputies and the ministries stand upon the ridge of the hill. The quarter around the Maison du People is the [illegible] is a perfect rookery of low-class dwellings, intersected by steep and narrow streets and malodorous alleys.

In the vicinity of the Maison there are some small squares in which rioters gather.

Mobs Charged by Soldiery.

The threatening aspect of a mob near the Maison du Peuple at 11 o'clock last night caused the police and gendarmes to charge it. Five of the demonstrators were wounded.

One of the injured men will die. He received a bayonet thrust in the back. Sixteen arrests were made.

For the first time the police really fired their rifles, loaded with ball cartridges. Formerly they had used their swords and their revolvers, the latter being usually loaded with blank cartridges.

A proclamation by the burgomaster, written in French and Flemish, has been posted on the walls. It appeals to citizens not to encourage the disorderly elements by forming in groups upon the streets.

Strikes in the Mines and Factories.

A dispatch from La Louciere, a town in the province of Hainaut, announces that, in accordance with the decision of the labor leaders, a general strike has commenced in the coal mines, glassworks and factories of the central districts, including Mariemont and Bascoup.

Advices from Liege say that a general strike has been started in the coal mines of the Seraing district and at the Kettin foundries at Solessin.

The quarrymen of the Ambleve valley have also struck. They have been rioting at Poulzer, where the convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor has been stoned.

A general strike has been declared in most of the large boot and shoe factories. Adequate measures have been taken to enable the soldiers to reinforce the police at a moment's notice at any point required.

There has been, thus far today, no questions of proclaiming martial law. Such a step cannot be taken in Belgium without special legislative action.

About 18,000 men are now out on strike in the Mons district.

From Mons, troops have started for different points in the Borinage district. At Cuesmes, a town in the province of Hainaut, 5000 strikers assembled around the state arsenal with the object of stopping work.

The weavers of Ghent are ceasing work, and a general strike of the weavers, it is expected, will be declared tomorrow.

The great strike has commenced in the Charleroi, where 15,000 out of 40,000 coal miners already have stopped work.

Belgium's Army of 50,000 Men.

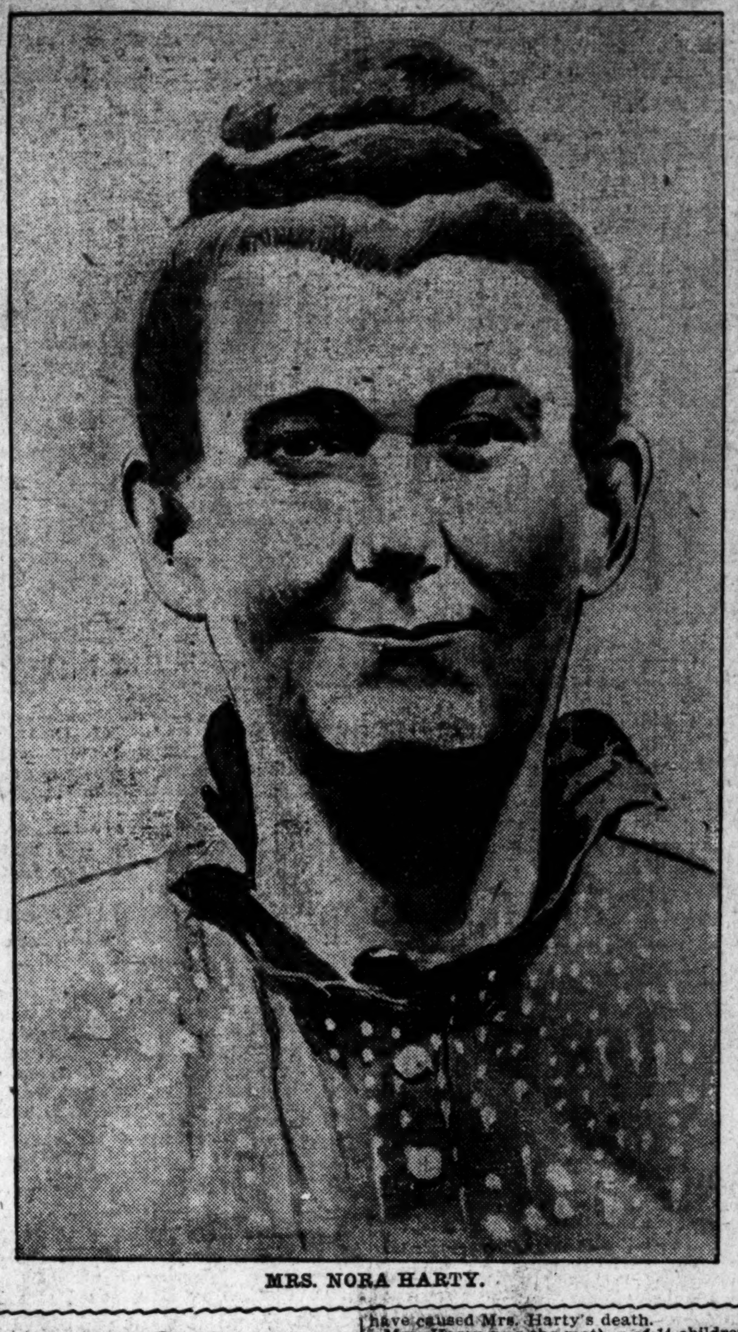
Belgium has 50,000 regular soldiers. The so-called civil guard is almost as numerous as the regular army, but it is raised and organized by the local authorities. The guards sympathize with the Socialistic element in their own communes, and it is said that in case of uprisings it is necessary to send an equal number of regular troops to overawe the Civil guard.

They often parade the streets in times when excitement runs high, singing political and partisan songs while a non-commissioned officer walks in front, beating time with his sword. Every able-bodied Belgian is liable to conscription.

Owing to the fact that Belgian territory is large neutralized by treaty in case of war, a large army is unnecessary and is an expensive luxury. The troops are dirty and slovenly. The people believe that the army exists to provide places for the King's friends and for dissolute young men of family. The annual cost of the regular army is about 11½ million dollars. A conscript may buy a substitute, but a poor man cannot afford to do so. This increases the Socialist sentiment.

WOMAN DIED SUDDENLY ON WAY TO GRAVE OF HER FAVORITE CHILD

EIGHT OF HER CHILDREN LIE DEAD IN CALVARY



MRS. NORA HARTY.

Mrs. Nora Harty, Stricken Ill on Bellefontaine Car, Expired in Drug Store Sunday Afternoon.

Mrs. Nora Harty of 1436 North Sixteenth street died suddenly Sunday afternoon while she was on the way to visit the graves of her 8 children in Cavalry Cemetery.

She was taken ill on car No. 1934 of the Bellefontaine line. The car was stopped at Eleventh and Salisbury streets and Conductor Frank Wideman and Motorman Ben Drumwright removed the suffering woman to the drug store of Albert Wurmb, at that corner.

Mrs. Harty died before medical aid could be summoned.

Heart failure is supposed by the family to have caused Mrs. Harty's death.

Mrs. Harty was the mother of 14 children, 6 of whom survive her.

One year ago Sunday her baby daughter, Florence, her favorite child, was buried in the family lot at Calvary and since then Mrs. Harty has grieved greatly. It has been her custom to visit the baby's grave on every fair Sunday.

Mrs. Harty's first husband, Patrick Reardon, a patrol wagon driver, was killed 19 years ago, when he was responding to a call.

He struck an excavation in the street and was thrown from the wagon and sustained fatal injuries.

She married James Harty 16 years ago. He is a son of Roger Harty, turnkey at the Carr street police station.

The funeral will be held from St. Lawrence O'Toole's church, but the time has not been determined on.

Mrs. James Burns of 1436 North Sixteenth street, Joseph and William Reardon, Genevieve and Emmett and Nora Harty are the names of Mrs. Harty's living children.

JOCKEY ELOPED TO CLAYTON WITH HIS FORMER PARTNER'S DAUGHTER

Charles Booker, Who Rode at Delmar, Sold His Interest in Restaurant, but Retained His Interest in Miss Ida Liston.

MRS. CHARLES BOOKER.
Mrs. Booker, who was Miss Ida Liston of 1018 De Hodiamont avenue., eloped to Clayton Saturday with her father's former business partner.

CHAPTER I.

Among the jockeys at the Delmar race track last summer few were better known to the racing patrons than Charles Booker. He attracted attention by his work on important mounts and made friends when off duty by his genial ways and his dapper appearance. He was noted among racing men as a youth who did not drink. He had been a jockey since his teens and at the age of 28 had a comfortable bank account. The saloons about the Delmar track received few visits from Booker. When meal time came, he walked over to De Hodiament and dined in the cosy little restaurant conducted by Joseph R. Liston at 1018 De Hodiamont avenue.

CHAPTER II.

Before the racing season was concluded at Delmar last fall, Booker, it is said, became involved in professional difficulties. Whether this was the cause, the result was that the jockey concluded to forsake the track for the realms of trade. He continued taking his meals at Liston's and last December offered to purchase a half interest in the restaurant. Mr. Liston, being compelled to devote a large portion of his time to the service of the Suburban railroad, which employed him as an electrician, accepted the proposition and introduced Booker to Mrs. Liston and Miss Ida Liston, their only daughter, who lent their aid to the management of the setablishment. Miss Liston had just passed her eighteenth birthday, was winsome and attractive and the new partner naturally enough favored her with attentions. He frequently took her to the theater and other places of amusement.

Recently Mr. Liston and his partner agreed that the profits of the business were not sufficient for two men. Liston agreed to buy Booker's interest and the latter said he would put his time and money hereafter into managing his two younger brothers, Arthur and Albert, who are jockeys and horse owners.

CHAPTER III.

The dissolution of partnership, which occurred two weeks ago, did not disturb the friendly relations of Liston and Booker. The jockey continued to call on Miss Liston.

Saturday afternoon he presented himself at the restaurant in faultless attire, and the young lady announced that they were going to the matinee. They did not return for supper. Night's shadows deeped without Liston's daughter or former partner putting in an appearance. Mr. Liston started out to find them. He went to Booker's boarding house, but they were not there. He returned home disconsolate. Mr. Liston was deeply concerned as to Miss Ida's whereabouts. Sunday morning he found his daughter and former business associate at 4141 Lee avenue and learned that they had been married at Clayton shortly before midnight Saturday night by Rev. J. M. Stultz, a Southern Methodist minister.

Mr. Liston says he was not thrilled with delight over the manner in which he acquired for a son-in-law the man he had recently lost as a partner. But he saw, he declares, there was nothing else for him to do but announce the customary forgiveness and he did so. There was a reunion Sunday at the Liston home.

Monday morning Mr. Liston said:

"We've got money enough to have given Ida a grand wedding, and would have allowed her to marry Booker if they had come to us outright and told us what they proposed to do. But as long as they've done otherwise, there is nothing to do but forgive them."

REGAN LEAVES POLICE COURT

O. J. Macaulay Is Expected to Succeed Him as Clerk of City Hall Tribunal.

Patrick J. Regan, clerk of the City Hall police court, tendered his resignation to Mayor Wells at noon Monday. He will take a position in the office of the board of election commissioners.

The mayor is expected to appoint to the vancancy O. J. Macaulay, a former newspaper man.

ENGLAND HEARS FROM THE BOERS

Mr. Balfour So Announces in House of Commons.

THE MESSAGE IS WITHHELD.

KING EDWARD DISCUSSED SITUATION WITH CHAMBERLAIN.

It Is Rumored That Boer Generals Have Asked Leave to Communicate With Kruger, Which Has Been Granted.

LONDON, April 14.—Replying in the House of Commons today to the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who asked whether any terms of peace had been suggested by the Boer leaders in South Africa, the government leader, A. J. Balfour, said it was impossible for the present to say more than that a message had been received Saturday from the Boer leaders, through Lord Kitchener, and that a reply had been sent to them. Further communication was expected.

It is said that the communication amounted to little more than a request for permission to use the cable in consulting Mr. Kruger and the Boer delegates in Europe regarding a basis for a peace settlement.

There is a distinctly hopeful feeling in official quarters.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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LONDON, April 14.—The news of a midnight meeting of the cabinet at Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's house, and of the colonial secretary's conference with King Edward today, cause an unusual commotion in political circles.

The political clubs, which usually are deserted Sunday, were crowded last night.

One report that found much credence was that Mr. Chamberlain received on Saturday night from Lord Milner, the British high commissioner in South Africa, a dispatch setting forth the Boer terms, and that, as those terms included independence for the Boer republics, a cabinet committee acting upon power previously bestowed upon it, had rejected them forthwith.

More likely, however, is the suggestion that the Boer generals have asked permission to communicate by cable with President Kruger and the Boer delegates in Europe, and that the cabinet committee, at the midnight sitting, acorded this permission.

There are scare reports of dissensions in the cabinet, Mr. Chamberlain being represented as holding out against concessions to the Boers which a majority of his colleagues favor. But there is nothing in support of these stories and they have already been sufficiently denied.

King Edward is fervidly anxious for peace and is prepared to throw the whole weight of his influence into the scale in its favor. But his powers are strictly limited, and he would not dare to take the responsibility of forcing a crisis at such a juncture. Nor could the cabinet risk a quarrel with Mr. Chamberlain as, with his power in Parliament and in the country at the present pitch, he could destroy the government in a week if he were thrown out.

Among the reports prevalent is one that Lord Roseberry is going to South Africa as an emissary of the King. But this is absurd on its face, as it would be an unpardonable slight on the members who are the responsible authorities.

WAR EXPENSES DECREASING.

Budget for Coming Year Reduced $65,000,000 Below Last Year's.

LONDON, April 14.—The statement showing the revenue and expenditure presented in the House of Commons today by the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, when opening the budget announcements, showed a total ordinary expenditure for 1902-03, estimated at £129,159,000, with war charges amounting to £45,450,000, making a total of £174,609,000, which is £12,993,000 below the total for 1901-02.

The chancellor of the exchequer estimated the total deficit for the present year at £26,824,000.

To the deficit must be added £16,000,000 to £17,000,000 additional war expenditure.

The chancellor of the exchequer said he had hopes of a happy result from the conference in South Africa, but he had put them aside. Preparations for the continuance of the war were the best guarantee of peace.

The income tax is increased 1 penny in the pound sterling.

THE WAR GOES RIGHT ON.

Gen. Kitchener's Report of Fighting in Transvaal.

LONDON, April 14.—News of severe fighting in the Transvaal at the end of last week has been sent by Lord Kitchener, who reports that about 200 Boers were killed, wounded or captured. There were about 100 British casualties.

The British also captured three guns and considerable quantity of supplies.

Commandant Potgieter was among the Boers killed.

Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch dated from Pretoria, Sunday, April 13, recounts how Col. Colenbrander, after locating Commandant Beyer's laager, at Pzel kop, moved his force by different routes from Pietersburg, Transvaal Colony, blocking the principal lines of retreat. The fighting commenced April 8, when the company of Inniskilling Fusiliers attacked Molipspoort, covering the Boer position, and by dusk had seized a hill eastward of the poort, after considerable opposition, resulting in Col. Murray being wounded and Lieut. Lincoln being killed. Another officer and five men were wounded.

Since then the operations continued daily. Colenbranders' latest report, April 12, gave the Boer losses in killed, wounded and prisoners at 106 men. The colonel hoped to be able to report further captures.

The most severe fighting occurred April 11, in western Transvaal, where Gen. Ian Hamilton has replaced Gen. Methuen in command of the British troops. The Boers attacked Col. Kekewich's forces near Rooiwal the fighting was at close quarters. The Boers were repulsed, leaving on the field 44 men killed, including Commandant Potgieter and 34 wounded. The British captured 30 unwounded prisoners.

According to last accounts, Gen. Ian Hamilton was pursuing the remainder of the Boer command. The British losses in this fight were [illegible] killed and [illegible] wounded.

At the beginning of the pursuit, Col. Kekewich captured two guns, a pompon, a quantity of ammunition and a number of wagons.

A force of Boers recently overwhelmed a strong British patrol sent out from Bultfontein, Orange River Colony, to clear distant farms. An officer and two men were killed, four men wounded and the remaining members of the patrol were surrounded and captured.

Lord Kitchener mentions holding an inquiry into this reverse.

LATHROP RANCH LOOKS BRITISH

Conclusion of Gov. Dockery's Private Secretary.

HIS REPORT GOES TO CONGRESS

SENT WITH GOVERNOR'S INDORSEMENT TO SENATOR COCKRELL.

Col. Crowder, It Is Said, Will Make a Similar Report From Port Chalmette, Concluding That Neutrality Laws Are Violated.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 14.—M. F. Gentry, Gov. Dockery's private secretary, returned this morning from Lathrop, Mo., where he went last Friday night under instructions from the governor to make a thorough investigation of the report that a British war material supply post is being maintained there to furnish horses and mules for the British army in South Africa.

Mr. Gentry is of the opinion, based upon his inquiry, that the Lathrop horse and mule ranch is conducted "under British auspices," and so reports to the governor.

Gov. Dockery forwarded the report to Senator F. M. Cockrell at Washington this afternoon, with the request that the senator lay the matter before Congress.

It is inferred that the governor informs the senator that the neutrality laws are being violated at Lathrop. In his report to Gov. Dockery, Mr. Gentry says:

"Upon my arrival at Kansas City, en route to Lathrop, I met Mr. Wiser, sheriff of Clinton County, and also Mr. Kelly, collector of that same county. They both assured me that the horse and mule stables situated at Lathrop, Mo., and run by Guyton & Harrington, were owned exclusively by the said firm; they also informed me that Guyton & Harrington owned about 1700 acres of land close to Lathrop; that the records of Clinton County would show that the title of this land was in the name of Guyton & Harrington. Besides, they further stated that this firm listed about 5000 to 7000 acres of additional land for their use.

"Upon arriving at Lathrop, I found that the statements made to me by these county officials were absolutely correct.

"Mr. Guyton of the firm of Guyton & Harrington has for the last 12 or 14 years been buying horses and mules at Lathrop and selling them where they could dispose of them to the best advantage, sometimes to the United States government.

"Guyton & Harrington have large barns upon their lands, several that cost $25,000 apiece, and they now have on hand several thousand head of horses and mules and a great many hogs.

"I was informed that during the last year this firm has shipped from Lathrop some 72,000 head of horses and mules, most of them destined for Souh Africa.

"Mr. Francis, superintendent of the ranch said to be owned by Messrs. Guyton & Harrington, invited me to inspect the barns, pastures and stock. I did so and made my investigation as thorough as was practicable in a single day.

"Superintendent Francis informed me, as did also Maj. J. Moore of the British army, that every consignment of horses or mules received at Lathrop that are taken to the Guyton & Harrington barns are shipped to Maj. Moore, who is stationed at Lathrop. The major, with ten or fifteen other British officers, is located at that point. When the horses or mules arrive at the Lathrop barns they are branded with the British mark. Most of the stock shipped from Lathrop goes to South Africa.

"At one of the houses upon the lands owned and operated by this firm I saw 21 Sepoys, who arrived only a few days since from India. These Sepoys are to return with 500 to 1000 mules for the use of the British army in that country.

"Summarizing the whole matter, I will say that from appearances it looks very much like the business is largely conducted under British auspices. The people of Lathrop, however, and of Clinton County, and also the members of this firm, claim that all the compensation received by the firm is 35 cents per day for the care of each horse and mule fed for the British government.

"Every citizen of Lathrop and Supt. Francis for the firm and every British officer was entirely frank in their answers to all questions propounded.

"It is not my province to offer any suggestions as to whether international law has been violated. That question is obviously one to be determined by the United States government.

SIKHS GO TO LATHROP.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Nine more Sikhs from India have passed through this city on their way to Kansas City and Lathrop, where they will take part in the work of buying mules for the British army. They were held up for a time at Ellis island by the immigration officials.

VIOLATION OF NEUTRALITY.

Forecast of Official Report on Port Chalmette.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ORLEANS, April 14.—The belief prevails here today that the report of Col. Crowder to the department at Washington will be that the horse and mule depot operated by the British at Chalmette is in violation of the neutrality laws, and that the admissions of the British officers in charge are sufficient proof of this fact.

Evidence collected privately by Col. E. H. Crowder, investigation officer assigned by Adjutant-General Corbin, and by a corps of secret service men and the army officers now stationed at Jackson Barracks, constitute the final report which will be forwarded to Washington within a few days. There will be no public inquiry.

Army officers at Jackson Barracks, who supplied part of the information to Col. Crowder, contend that the place, on the evidence given by the English officers themselves, can stand as nothing else than a continuous supply post of war material for the British army.

Col. Crowder has practically concluded his inquiry and is said to be preparing his official report.

Gov. Heard, who requested the investigation, left all the [illegible] by documentary evidence, before Col. Crowder.

The governor speaks his mind freely on the matter. He made the following statement:

"The British stock camp at Port Chalmette violates the neutrality laws. It has been a supply post, continuously forwarding horses and mules for the English army in South Africa. If Attorney-General Knox's opinion means anything it holds that this point of the continuance of transaction should solve the problem.

"The facts here are notorious. For more than two years horses and mules have been shipped direct to Cape Town or Durban for the British army. British officials have not denied this.

"Surely this is proof enough. For mules and horses, owing to Transvaal conditions, are as necessary to the English army in South Africa as coal to a battleship."

The governor charges, by strong intimation, that the national administration had never expected to encounter the problem of how the thousands of horses and mules shipped from here stand in the light of the international laws.

The governor denies the claim that he has tried to force a national political issue. He insists that politics has nothing to dow ith the problem.

"But would you shut up the Port Chalmette post if it were a matter of state control?" was asked.

"I'm not crossing bridges before I reach them," was the answer. "But I do contend that the neutrality laws are being violated."

Gov. Heard denies that prohibition of horse and mule shipments would necessitate the cutting off of the exporting of tons and tons of canned beef and other supplies from Chicago and western points for the British army.

"That's begging the question," he asserted. "The arguments are not analagous. The meat shipments might be the natural exports of natural trade. Whether the English soldiers were in South Africa or in English barracks they would have to eat. But horses and mules are absolutely necessary to the conduct of the war. Cut them off and what, with the nature of the Transvaal country, would England do with her soldiers?"

"I know it is argued that the belligerency of the Beors has never been recognized," continued the governor, "but the Boers as a nation have been tacitly recognized by our country, England and other nations. The son of Secretary of State Hay himself was over there for a time, I believe, as a representative of our government."

The governor contends that the point on which Attorney-General Knox hinges the possible legal conclusion as to the question of violation—the continuous transaction of forwarding supplies—is proved by the British officers who are now here.

"I don't see what further investigation is needed," said he, "when the English officers themselves admit that the horses and mules are shipped direct to the army in the Transvaal. Why, here is Major-General Sir Richard Campbell Stewart over here on an inspection tour. If there are not a chain of supply camps here, all having an outlet at Port Chalmette, why is he over here? The facts here are so notorious that why there is need of an investigation on these points I do not see."

YOUNG ALEXANDER TO SHARE ESTATE

Court Holds Him Legitimate Son of Dr. Alexander.

PROPERTY WORTH $25,000

RELATIVES GOT INJUNCTION ON GROUNDS THAT HE HAD NO CHILDREN.

Answer Filed by Mrs. Fleming's Father That Common Law Marriage Had Been Contracted Upheld in Court of Appeals.

The United States circuit court of appeals Monday morning decided that Alfred W. Fleming is the legitimate son of the late Dr. Alfred W. Fleming and as such is entitled to his share in the vast Fleming estate.

In so ruling the court held that there is no inconsistency in a religious or civil marriage following a contract that has existed in common law.

Dr. Fleming originally came to St. Louis from Philadelphia, but for many years lived in retirement here. His fortune has been approximated between $225,000 and $250,000. Of this about $150,000 is invested in St. Louis and Missouri and the residue in Philadelphia, where other members of the Fleming family live.

The Fleming residence in Kirkwood is recognized as one of the finest private homes in the West.

Dr. Fleming died there Jan. 10, 1898, intestate, leaving a widow, Mary Cecilia Fleming (nee Quan) and her son, Alfred W. Fleming, Jr., who was born Sept. 2, 1892.

The estate was divided between mother and son. On Nov. 12, 1899, Mrs. Fleming died, leaving a will bequeathing $1 to her son and the remainder of her interest in her husband's estate to her father, Mathew Quan, of this city, who was subsequently appointed executor and curator. As such he applied in February, 1900, to the probate court for the distribution of $50,000.

Immediately following this a brother, sister and other heirs of Dr. Fleming in Philadelphia filed suit in the United States circuit court for an injunction setting forth that Dr. Fleming had no children.

Answer Filed Was Upheld.

Quan filed an answer stating that a common law marriage had been contracted between Fleming and Mary Quan between Dec. 1, 1890 and Oct. 1, 1891, and the child had been born on Sept. 2, 1892.

Fleming married Ann Foster, a widow, in 1871, and was divorced from her in 1890. There was no issue to this marriage.

From 1889 to 1893, the testimony showed, he lived with Mary Quan at 206 Chestnut street, where young Fleming was born. They acknowledged each other as husband and wife and Fleming claimed the infant as his son and heir.

Two months after the boy's birth Fleming and the mother were married by a civil justice in Illinois. In obtaining the marriage license both swore that they were single.

The main fight was around this point.

The court held that the public announcement of a common law contract and the public claim of Fleming to the boy as his son was sufficient evidence that a common law marriage did exist, and that the child was the legitimate issue to it.

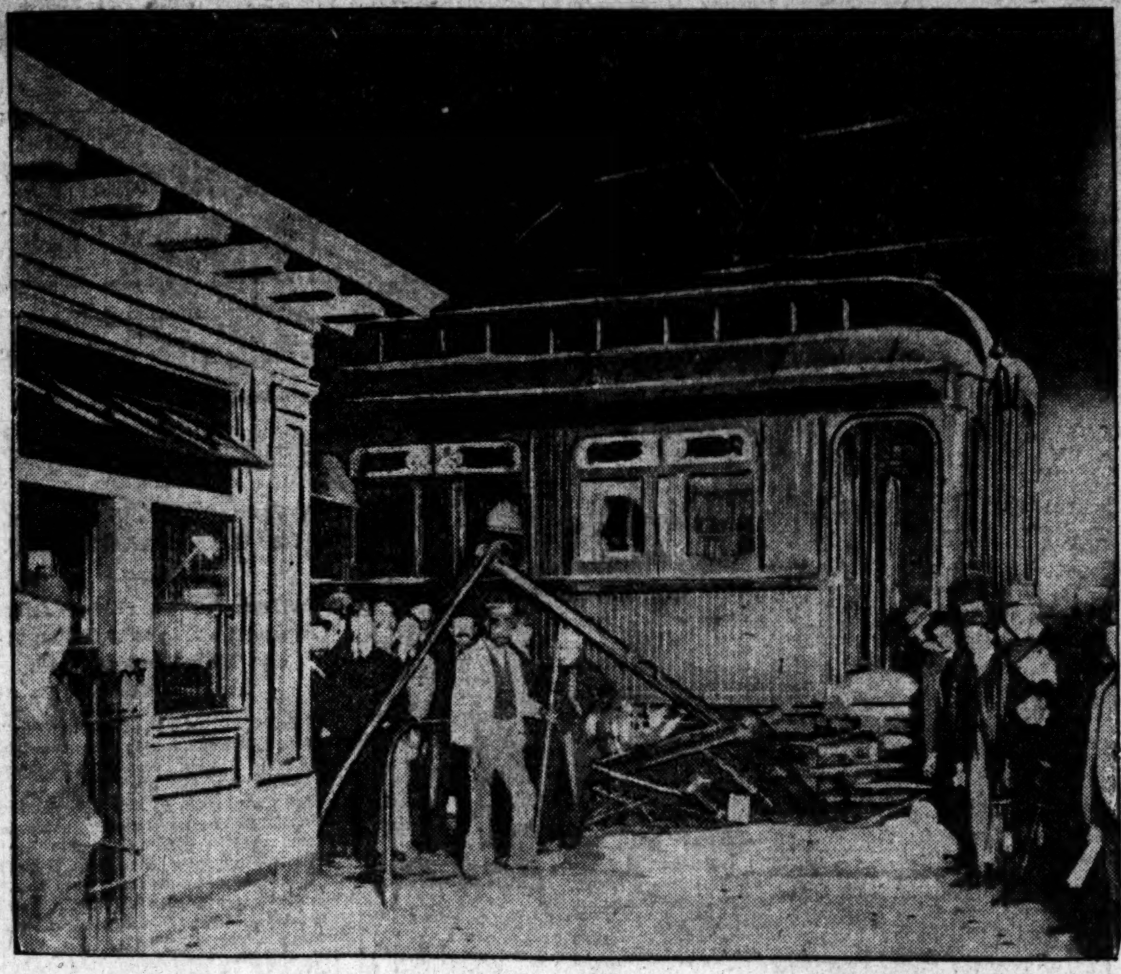
That the couple should marry again, and in another manner, was not inconsistent and did not affect the legitimacy of the offspring.

The prayers of the Philadelphia relatives are thus denied.

Wedding Rings (Solid Gold).

Finest qualities, $3.50 to $25.00. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

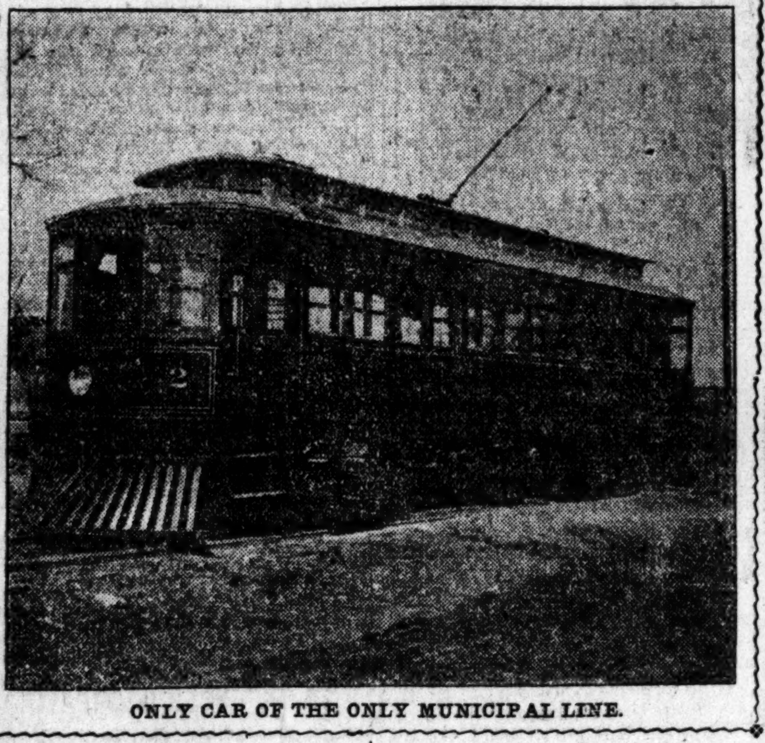
FIRST TRAIN TO INTRUDE ON MIDWAY AT UNION STATION



Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

This picture was taken by a Post-Dispatch photographer a few minutes after Wabash train No. 2 crashed over the bumper through the iron fence and on to the midway at Union Station Saturday night. The train, which is the first to intrude as far as the midway was on track 17, the first to west of the timekeeper's station in the center of the big shed. The bumper is built to withstand a pressure of 100,000 pounds. The train was made up of three coaches, a sleeper and parlor car, which was at the forward end and contained 17 persons. No one was hurt.

CITIZENS DEMAND TO RIDE ON THE ONLY MUNICIPAL RAILROAD



ONLY CAR OF THE ONLY MUNICIPAL LINE.

It Was Built as a Waterworks Freight Line, but It Carries Chain-of-Rocks Hands on Its One Electric Car.

Water Commissioner Flad will have a new ordinance introduced in the session of the Municipal Assembly about to begin, permitting the carrying of passengers for fares on the water department's private electric line from Baden to the Chain of Rocks. A similar resolution was allowed to die by the Council in the session just expiring.

Mr. Flad is very proud of his railroad. He says it is the only municipal railway that he knows of. It is saving money for the city, according to the water commissioner, at the rate of $7000 annually. If he is permitted to invite the public to ride at so much per ride, it will not only save more money for the city, Mr. Flad declares, but will be a great convenience to persons residing in the extreme northern portion of the city and a source of pleasure to those who do not use it from necessity.

Only Municipal Road Is Four and a Half Miles Long.

The railway is four and a half miles long. It is operated by an overhead trilley. Its single track extends from Baden to the Chain of Rocks. One car is operated over the road. The trip requires 12 minutes each way. At present the car runs on a regular schedule, making five trips per day with special trips when the occasion demands. On the five regular trips the car starts from Baden at 7 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 1:45 p. m., 4:30 p. m. and 9:45 p. m.

At present only employes of the water department ride on the car except when special trips are made for special guests.

The car can seat 42 persons and is supplied with an air brake and an air whistle. The seats are arranged at right angles to the sides of the car with the aisle in the center.

The power house is at Baden, the southern terminus of the road. The motive power is generated by a 150-horse-power engine. The same power house is used to generate the power and to light the water department stations at Baden, Bissell's Point and the Chain of Rocks. Sufficient power could be generated to run three cars if necessary, instead of only one as at present.

Coal Is Hauled on Electric Line.

"The electric railway was designed originally as a freight line," said Mr. Flad to the Post-Dispatch. "The purpose was to have it haul material to the Chain of Rocks. We formerly paid the Burlington about $450 per month for hauling coal from Baden to the Chain of Rocks. Now we haul it ourselves over the electric line, although we are still compelled to pay the railroad for the engine. The engine runs over our tracks—in such a way, though, as not to interfere with our regular electric car.

"We also pay now for switching these cars $3 each. I hope to get an electric locomotive and then the city can do its own switching and save money.

"The idea of making the road a passenger line presented itself as the idea developed and it has proved such a convenience to those who use it that I wish to extend its use to the public if possible. If I get permission to collect fares on the line I think it will eventually prove self-sustaining. I think I see ample patronage in view for the road.

Cement Plant Hands Would Ride on Road.

"A cement company, for instance, is establishing a large plant along the route of the railroad. It will probably employ several hundred men. The gentlemen in charge of this project have gotten up a petition indorsing the project. They have told me that it would be a great convenience to their employes if they are permitted to use the road.

"Then there are school children who live in the vicinity of the Chain of Rocks and go to school in Baden. There are no other facilities for their transportation unless they have their own conveyances. I think they would be glad to secure the privilege of riding on the electric line.

"Besides, the ride will be attractive to sightseers. There is a pretty park at the Chain of Rocks. The water department has expended considerable money in beautifying the place and, I think, if we are permited to let the public ride on the railway it will soon become a popular breathing place."

Mr. Flad says he knows of no formal opposition to the plan and he has hopes that his bill will be passed at the next session.

Mr. Nils Johnson, mechanical engineer, is in immediate supervision of the road.

If You Have $100 Cash

and can make $10 per month payment on a lot that will double and treble in value in a very short time, owing to prospective completion of a boulevard in front of property, write Mercantile Trust Co., Real Estate Department, for particulars of their "King's Highway Terrace" subdivision.

GIRLS BOX BOYS' EARS.

Students Took Snap-Shot Photographs of Young Ladies in Short Skirts.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 14.—There are some indignant girls at the Kentucky State College because they know their photographs have been taken while they were clad in picturesque gymnasium suits undergoing athletic instruction. For helping to take the pohtographs of the girls three male students—Hughes of Louisville, John Cravens of Hardin County and R. Riggs of Lexington—were up before the faculty last Friday. The student who had the camera escaped and his accomplices will not tell who he is.

It all happened while the girls were in the gymnasium being instructed in physical development exercises. Suddenly one of the girls noticed a camera being poked into the room from a doorway. She screamed. Then all the girls screamed. The amateur photographers fled, closely pursued by the girls. The three students who were caught were roughly handled by the athletic maidens and had their ears boxed in fine style. The youths tried to get away, but the girls held them until the commandant arrived and took them in charge.

The Breitling, 411 N. Broadway.

Breakfast from 7 to 10. 25c.

St. Kevin's Church Benefit.—A euchre party, followed by a hop, will be given at Liederkranz Hall for the benefit of St. Kevin's Church, Tuesday evening, May 6. One hundred valuables prizes will be given.

TAFT IS COMING TO ST. LOUIS

Governor-General of the Philippines Will Confer With World's Fair Managers.

CINCINNATI, April 14.—Governor-General Taft of the Philippines will go to St. Louis tomorrow to confer with President Francis and other Exposition officers. Later in the week he will leave for Washington and New York with Mrs. Taft and Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Taft. While East, he will visit old Yale friends at New Haven. He will return to Cincinnati before sailing via Suez canal, May 17. He will visit Rome. He expects to be subject to call in Washington for questions while the Philippine bill is pending.

SON RETURNED WITH RICHES

After Wandering Fourteen Years He Reappeared at Home and Lifted Mortgage for Father.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Fourteen years ago Timothy Downey of Newark, then a bright boy of 15, just out of school, followed Horace Greeley's advice and went West.

Saturday Timothy Downey arrived at his old home.

He related a story of adventure and perseverance that sounded like a romance. Several times he had made strikes only to lose the wealth he accumulated. At last, not long ago, he struck paying claims in silver and is now worth $150,000, with fine prospects of a larger fortune.

Today the young man visited a lawyer and had the mortgage on his father's home cancelled. Carpenters, masons and painters were set to work to restore and beautify the house.

NO MERCY FOR BEER CANNERS

Judge Sidener Says Beer Drinking in Alleys Is One of Our Great Public Nuisances.

"BBeer canners will get no mercy in this court this summer," announced Judge Sidener of the City Hall Police Court Monday morning, after he had entered fines of $10 each against Charles Towell, James Rucker and Dennis Lawler.

"Beer drinking in alleys is one of the greatest public nuisances in St. Louis," the court declared. "There are plenty of saloons to drink beer in, and those who choose to drink on curbs and in alleys will have to take the consequences when they are brought here."

The three young men fought the case against them, and attempted to throw discredit on the testimony of Policeman Thomas, who had arrested them on Virginia avenue, between LaSalle and Hickory streets.

The more the defendants cross-questioned the policeman the more charges he made against them, and the court was informed that they had not only canned beer, but had undertaken to pose as mashers.

NO INSURANCE FOR TEETH

Judge Hough Says Accident Policy Does Not Cover Injuries in Dentist's Chair.

Judge Warwick Hough decided Monday morning that an injury received in a surgical operation is not an accident on which insurance can be collected, and that the pulling of a tooth is a surgical operation.

On these two premises Judge Hough reversed the decision of Justice Walker, who had awarded R. H. McCrady $30 in his suit against the Casualty and Surety Co.

McCrady carried an accident policy for $30 in the Casualty and Surety Co. He stated in his petition that on March 2, 1901, he had had a tooth pulled by a dentist with disastrous result. The tooth broke, and a part of the jawbone was pulled out by the operator.

He filed a claim for the amount of his policy, but the company refused to pay. He won his suit in Justice Walker's court, and the company appealed the case.

"An injury at the hands of a surgeon is not an accident," said Judge Hough. "The term surgeon comprehends dentists, oculists or other practitioners on the human body."

EDITOR M'QUILTY DEFEATED.

Capt. Allison Won First Honors in a Fist Fight.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFERSON CITY, Mo., April 14.—Editor W. J. McQuilty of the Rocheport (Mo.) Democrat and Capt. E. Allison, one of the ushers in the state prison, fought in the prison yesterday.

McQuilty was badly beaten, as Allison used his cane.

The fight was the result of criticism in McQuilty's paper of Allison, who succeeded the editor as a prison appointee.

McQuilty had gone to the penitentiary to show two friends through when the trouble occurred.

PRESIDENT'S LIFE HEAVILY INSURED

Chief Executive's Policies Aggregate Nearly $100,000

ONE FOR $50,000 IS RECENT

HE IS DESIRABLE RISK, NOTWITHSTANDING HIS POSITION.

Enterprising Agent Who Procured Latest Contract Was Given Special Medal and Honors by His Company.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—President Roosevelt, since he became chief executive of the nation, has become one of the heavinsured public men in the United States.

The President has taken out a policy for $50,000 in one of the big New York life insurance companies, besides continuing policies for smaller amounts which he had taken out long before he was elected governor of New York.

President Roosevelt's policies it is understood, exceed by $15,000 or $20,000 those held by President McKinley at the time of the latter's assassination in Buffalo. Mrs. McKinley was paid about $60,000 on policies on her husband's life.

President Roosevelt, although a man of wealth, took out some insurance several years ago. When he succeeded to the presidency, according to his friends, he became convinced that it would be prudent for him to increase largely his life insurance, although he has repeatedly protested against the special guard which has been kept constantly about him. He decided on $50,000 as the proper amount.

It is an interesting fact in this connection that the big life insurance companies do not calculate seriously on the extra danger so many believe attaches to the occupant of the White House.

On the contrary, the agent who obtained President Roosevelt as a policy holder, has been awarded a special medal by his company and has been given splendid opportunities to make his way rapidly to the front in the life insurance world.

There probably are not many more men in the United States who carry as much as the President now has. Some persons engaged in great enterprises, like John B. McDonald, the tunnel contractor, and Sig. Marconi, inventor of the wireless telegraph, are understood to be insured for very large amounts as a protection to the men who are backing financially the enterprises dependent upon their brains.

John Wanamaker has carried as high as $1,500,000 of life insurance, and several other well-known Americans have had policies for more than $1,000,000. George W. Vanderbilt is said to carry a policy for $1,000,000. Senator Depew's life insurance is placed at $500,000.

HAMBY GREW UP IN MADISON.

He Is People's Party Candidate for Village President.

JOHN C. HAMBY.

John C. Hamby, candidate of the People's party for President of the Village Board of Madison, Ill., is but 25 years of age.

He is member of the A. O. U. W. order, the Amalgamated Iron and Tin Workers' Association, the Fireman's Volunteer Association and other orders.

He has grown up in Madison, is ambitious and has many friends in the town.

Mr. Hamby has a store in the Hilker building.

LOWE TO TALK OF JEFFERSON.

Former Kansas Congressman Will Be at Birthday Celebration.

Members of the Jefferson Club will celebrate the birthday of the organization's patron saint, Thomas Jefferson, at the club's quarters, Grand avenue and Pine street, Monday night.

The management extends a cordial invitation to all Democrats to attend.

The principal speaker will be former Congressman Joseph M. Lowe of Kansas. Among others scheduled for addresses are: Attorney C. F. Fauntleroy, Harry B. Hawes and Attorney Daniel Dillon.

This is the first time the Jefferson Club has officially commemorated Jefferson's birthday.

It is intended, however, to hold a similar celebration every year.

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and can make $10 per month payment on a lot that will double and treble in value in a very short time, owing to prospective completion of a boulevard in front of property, write Mercantile Trust Co., Real Estate Department, for particulars of their "King's Highway Terrace" subdivision.

PLANS FOR TALMAGE FUNERAL.

Dr. Niccolls of St. Louis Will Be One of the Speakers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The funeral of the late Dr. T. De Witt Talmage will be held Tuesday afternoon, from the Church of the Covenant in this city.

Dr. Samuel J. Niccolls of St. Louis will be one of the speakers. Others will be Dr. Teunis S. Hamlin, the pastor; Dr. Thomas Chalmers Easton, Dr. P. Tervne of New Jersey, Dr. Howard Snyder of Reinbeck, N. Y., and Dr. James Demorest of Brooklyn.

The body will be shipped to Brooklyn, where it will be interred Wednesday morning.

$13.60—Dallas and Return—$13.60.

Via M., K. & T. R'y. "The Katy." April 19th, 20th and 21st. Liberal limits and stop-over privileges. Low side trip rates from Dallas. See Katy's Agent, 520 Olive st.

Men's Correct Haberdashery.

Exclusive

Four-in-hands—dainty fleur-de-lis in the new London green on gray and black—white on black—black on white.

Tailor-stitched effects—$1.50.

Novelties in Carletons—De Joinvilles—Barathea in the latest English effects at $2.

Reversible four-in-hands—bat ties—imperials and English squares—50 cents to $1.50.

Velvo chameleon cloth—50 cents.

Black Neckwear

Always a large selection at Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney's of every style demanded by good form—Barathea—gros-grain—Peau de Soie and satin.

String and folded ties from 28 to 40 inches—Bat ties 27 to 34 inches—imperials—band and shield bows—English squares—everything desirable.

Men's Stocks

Plain white washable stocks in the correct shapes with silk effects at 50 cents and $1.

Solids in the new grays—greens—reds and other shades—grass cloth—Roman stripes—50 cents to $1.50.

New Pajamas

The newest of the new—satin striped canvas and white madras with military collar and white silk frogs—$1.50 to $3.50.

Silk pajamas at $5 a suit.

Pongee pajamas in natural color—blue and pink—$6.50.

Night Robes—light weight cambric and muslin—neck cut V-shape—50 cents to $1.50.

China silk night robes in solid colors—also white—luxurious—$5.

Ha[illegible] Hose

Black and [illegible] color that good dress[illegible] want—lisle thread—co[illegible]—silk—the best thing[illegible] by the French—English and German hosiery people—[illegible]c to $6.50.

Negligee Shirts

We will be gla[illegible] have you step in to look [illegible]er our new and exclusive s[illegible] in madras at $1 to $2.50.

The "correct" solid blue—also tan—with attached cuff—$1.00 and $2.00.

Pure linen E. & W. make—the very much worn natural linen color and plain white—with figures and plain—$3.50.

Men's Underwear

We will help you to decide what you want—Balbriggan—Lisle thread—silk and wool—all wool—all silk—everything that is good—prices 50 cents to $9.50 a garment.

"Dermophile"

undergarments for men—purest quality of Australian wool—guaranteed unshrinkable—Summer weight, $2 each garment—no other St. Louis house sells this underwear.

Deimel Linen Mesh

underwear—made of pure linen—physicians claim that these are the most hygienic garments made for underwearing—in all sleeve and leg lengths—also in knee length—$3.25 each.

Memorandum

To see the new white and fancy vests at $2.50 to $6 at Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney's—Olive Street side.

Storm Coats—Imported Turkish bath robes—smoking jackets—umbrellas—handkerchiefs—gloves, walking sticks—strictly in keeping with "good form" at S., V. & B.'s.

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney

DRY GOODS COMPANY.

CONVICTS BECOME INSANE.

Inmates of Missouri Penitentiary Sent to Asylum.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 14.—Gov. Dockery this morning suspended the sentence of the following named insane convicts, and directed the warden of the penitentiary to convey them to the state hospital for the insane at Fulton, there to be detained and treated and returned to the penitentiary when restored to reason: William Thomas (colored), Moniteau County, burglary and jail breaking, five years; John Williams, St. Louis City, robbery first degree, 10 years; Jonas Washington (colored), City of St. Louis, grand larceny, two years; James Allen, St. Louis City, arson, first degree, 10 years; Robert McGee, City of St. Louis, murder, second degree, 12 years; Henry Miles, Jackson County, grand larceny, seven years; Charles Williams, Schuyler County, grand larceny, five years; Walter Jones (colored), Laclede County, robbery, second degree, three years; William S. Brown, Benton County, murder, second degree 50 years.

EDITORS REACH ST. LOUIS.

Delegates to National Convention on Way to Hot Springs.

One hundred and fifty delegates of the National Editorial association, whose annual convention opens this week at Hot Springs, Ark., arrived in St. Louis Monday morning.

Many were accompanied by their wives and families. They will spend the day sightseeing and a number will journey to the World's Fair grounds during the afternoon. At 8:15 Monday night they leave for Hot Springs.

They remain four days in the "valley of the vapors," going from there to Little Rock, where they will remain a day. On the return trip the editors will be the guests of the World's Fair management during their stopover here.

A committee of Hot Springs citizens headed by Lyman T. Hay, manager of the Arlington and Eastman Hotels, Douglass Hotchkiss, editor of the Hot Springs Record; J. G. Lonsdale, George Thomas and Charles Brant arrive Monday and will look after the blue pencilers en route to the springs.

The officers of the National Editorial Association are: President, Albert Tozier, Pacific Farmer, Portland, Ore.; J. W. N. Buckett, Dispatch, Jackson, Tenn., vice-president; F. R. Gibson, Palladium, Benton Harbor, Mich.; second vice-president; E. H. Pierce, Journal, Jerseyville, Ill., third vice-president; J. M. Page, Democrat, Jerseyville, Ill.; corresponding secretary; R. M. White, Ledger, Mexico, Mo., recording secretary.

Among the visitors are: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dowse, New England Grocer, Boston, Mass.; George W. and Miss Alice K. Prescott, Patriot, Quincy, Mass.; J. S. and Miss Alice Smith, Standard, Rockland, Mass.; Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Jarvis, Journal of Education, Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Theo P. Wilson, Star, Winchester, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Doten, Old Colony Memorial, Plymouth, Mass.; Robert Mitchell Floyd, Trade Press List, Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. George C. Fairbanks, Bulletin, Natick, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Marshall, Cricket, Manchester, Mass.; L. Brewer, Journal, Portsmouth, N. H.; Herbert E. Emerson, Sun, Winthrop, Mass.; Mrs. Carrie L. Brooks, Wellesley Review, Natick, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pierce, Journal, Revere, Mass.; Hon. Joseph B. Maccabe, Argus, East Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Frost, Manufacturing Jeweler, Providence, R. I.; H. B. Hale, Gazette, East Hartford, R. I.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Merriman, Bulletin, Madison, Me.; Charles A. Pillsbury, Republican Journal, Belfast, Me.

The visitors breakfasted at the Terminal Hotel and were then escorted to the Planters' Hotel. They were taken later on a sight-seeing tour downtown. In the afternoon the ladies of the party attended the Columbia Theater.

DEATHS.

GRACE—Died, Harry, son of Richard R. and Emily F. Grace, in his 24th year.

Funeral private from family residence, 2068 Sheridan av. Due notice of funeral in morning papers.

HARTY—Sunday, April 13, after a short illness, Hanora Harty (see Shea), beloved wife of John Harty and mother of William and Joseph Reardon and Mrs. James Burns (see Reardon).

Funeral from family residence, 1422 North Sixteenth street, Wednesday, April 16, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

Standard Patterns

20c

The new Standard "Designer" for May gives the very modish box and side-plaited dress skirt patterns at 20 cents each.

Seams are all allowed and the instructions for making and marks on the patterns are so easily understood that it is an easy matter to make a really stylish garment at home.

The fashionable skirt in clusters of lengthwise tucks, with the becoming hip yoke, is also given—pattern 20 cents.

We sell the Standard "Designer" at 10 cents—take subscriptions at $1 a year and the pattern sheets are free.

You are invited to come in and look at the new number of the "Designer."

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney

DRY GOODS COMPANY

DEATHS.

M'LAUGHLIN—On Saturday, April 12, 1902, at 9:20 p. m., Catherine McLaughlin (nee Brennan), aged 43 years, beloved wife of James McLauglin, and mother of Mrs. Mary Paschell, Mrs. Alice Smith, Mrs. Annie Weber, Nellie, Jennie and Tessie McLaughlin.

Funeral from residence, No. 1720 North Tenth street, Tuesday, at 8 a. m., to St. Michael's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

MAHER—On Sunday, April 13, 1902, at 3:15 o'clock p. m., Catherine, beloved daughter of the late Timothy and Bridget Maher, sister of Margaret Carroll and Mary Maher, aged 23 years.

The funeral will take place Tuesday, April 15, at 8:30 o'clock a. m. from family residence, No. 3422 Rutger street to St. Kevin's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

NIEMAN—Sunday, April 13, at 4 a. m., Anna Laura Nieman, beloved daughter of C. H. Nieman and Lizzie Nieman (nee Schulz), after a short illness of three days, aged 5 years 10 days.

Funeral Tuesday, April 15, at 2 p. m.; private.

C. H. NIEMAN,
LIZZIE NIEMAN,
Parents.
AMANDA NIEMAN,
Sister.

SMITH—On Sunday, April 14, 1902, at 3:20 o'clock a. m., Catherine Smith, beloved wife of Thomas M. Smith and mother of Mrs. P. J. Burke (nee Smith), after a lingering illness.

Funeral will take place from residence, [illegible] Garfield avenue. Due notice of time will be given.

Mobile (Ala.) papers please copy.

SCHWARTZ—Suddenly, on Sunday, April 6, [illegible], at 9 o'clock p. m., James E. Schwartz, aged [illegible] years, beloved son of Mary Schwartz and brother of David J., Andrew M., Joseph P. Schwartz and Mrs. R. L. Kline.

Funeral will take place from the residence of his mother, 2311 North Whittier street, on Tuesday, April 15, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Matthew's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

ST. LOUIS PETS FED STRYCHNINE

TWO DOGS KILLED AND THREE ARE ILL.

DEED OF SOME DOG HATER

None of the Pets Were Allowed to Roam at Large and None Were Vicious.

Two dogs have been killed and three others made seriously ill by poison administered within three weeks in the vicinity of Boyle and Laclede avenues.

All were house dogs and they were not permitted to roam the neighborhood. This fact, coupled with the manner in which the drug was given, has convinced the owners that the killing was done to satisfy an antipathy toward canines and not in a spirit of revenge.

In each case strychnine was spread over pieces of raw liver.

The first death, three weeks ago, was of a valuable setter owned by Mrs. A. L. Price, formerly of 4281 Laclede avenue. The dog, after playing in the back yard, returned to his mistress' room and there expired while she was in another portion of the house.

The yard was thoroughly searched, but no traces of poison could be found. In the dog's mouth were traces of strychnine.

John W. Hoffman lives around the corner at 18 North Boyle avenue. To Mrs. Hoffman Mrs. Price told her grief.

The Hoffmans owned a Syke terrier, "Beauty." Two days later "Beauty" was allowed in the back court. All morning she ran back and forth between the kitchen and the yard, and her owner had no suspicion of danger.

As Mrs. Hoffman was eating dinner the dog came into the room. It fell against her foot. It was in a spasm then. Three hours later it died. A veterinary surgeon prononunced it strychnine poison.

There is a Scotch terrier owned by a Miss Washburn in the flat above the Hoffman's. In the week following the killing of "Beauty" the upstairs dog was playing in the yard. Hoffman was watching it when he saw it sniff earnestly at a package in a fence corner. Hoffman picked the package up and found a piece of liver, covered with poison. It was wrapped in ordinary butchers' brown paper.

A search of the yard revealed two more packages of liver.

Two attempts have been made on the life of L. Berry's Scotch terrier, "Rags." Mr. Berry lives at 4255 Laclede avenue. The same week that Mr. Hoffman found the liver in his back yard "Rags" became desperately ill. Dr. Charles Ellis, a veterinary and canine surgeon, at 4159 Laclede avenue, was summoned. He pronounced it a case of strychnine poisoning, but saved the animal's life. Sunday morning Mr. Ellis was again called by the Berrys. "Rags" had been poisoned again. This time the surgeon found food with the strychnine. "Rags" is still under treatment.

In the afternoon, Sunday, Dr. Ellis was wanted at 2 North Boyle avenue. M. W. Smith's Skye terrier was very ill. The surgeon took him to his dog hospital and treated him for ten hours for strychnine poisoning. The dog was returned home Sunday night, but was still ill Monday morning.

The owners of the dogs stated Monday to the Post-Dispatch that an effort would be made to locate the poisoner.

"We all have our suspicions," said Mr. Smith, "but they are nothing more than that. We feel confident that the only motive is a hatred for dogs generally. We have no enemies who would visit this revenge on us.

"In no instance was the animal vicious. All are house pets and are never permitted to go out, so they cannot possibly be a menace to the public."

TWO CHILDREN ARE MURERED

Hulda and John Peterson Slain on Way Home From Church and Police Suspect Negro.

DES MOINES, Io., April 14.—While returning from Highland Park Methodist Church on the north outskirts of the city last evening, Hulda, 15 years of age, and John, aged 11, children of Peter J. Peterson, a well-to-do dairyman, were murdered by an unidentified person, believed to be a negro.

The boy, when found at midnight, was alive, but died within fifteen minutes, without being able to give a description of his assailant.

The children each Sunday went to the Highland Park Church, usually attending the evening service. In going there they passed along what is known as the county road which leads to the county hospital.

The bodies were discovered by a farmer who everheard the moans of the lad. An examination revealed that the heads of both were crushed by what is believed to have been a brickbat.

The entire police force is working on the case.

$13.60—Dallas and Return—$13.60.

Via M., K. & T. R'y., "The Katy." April 19th, 20th and 21st. Liberal limits and stop-over privileges. Low side trip rates from Dallas. See Katy's Agent, 520 Olive st.

SERVED FIRST VANDERBILT.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Mrs. Hannah Barlow is dead at her home in New Brunswick, N. J. She would have been 106 years old May 1.

In her younger years, Mrs. Barlow was a servant for Commodore Vanderbilt. When Lafayette passed through this city, she helped to cook the dinner for him and his staff.

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CHINAMAN'S BODY KEPT FROM GHOULS

SAM LEO WAS ONCE GAN LEE'S PARTNER.

MYSTERY ATTENDED DEATH

Chinamen Mean to Give Wealthy Laundryman the Largest Funeral Ever Held in St. Louis.

The body of Sam Leo, a Chinese laundryman of 4536 Delmar avenue, has been turned over to M. H. Alexander, the city undertaker, with the request that it be "held until called for."

The prominence of the dead man, his supposed wealth and the peculiar circumstances surrounding his death, have combined to stir the Chinese populace. They are mo[illegible]ss in their queer way, prepar[illegible] "gorgeous" funeral and figuring [illegible] will be taken away from them a[illegible]t of Gan Lee in hop alley two ye[illegible]. That is why Undertaker Alexand[illegible]as been requested to protect the body.

Sam Leo's life ended early Friday morning. Lou Wing, his business partner, found him dying. They roomed together on Delmar avenue.

When the two men retired Thursday night, Leo was well and hearty. Thursday night they attended a Chinese jollification in Hop Alley. Wing says he was awakened between midnight and dawn Friday by a queer noise in Leo's room. When he reached his partner's side he was struggling in the throes of death.

Talk of a Drug That Works on the Lungs.

A coroner's inquest was held Saturday and the death was attributed to an ailment of the lungs. Chinamen speak of a deadly drug which is sometimes used by their people on an enemy and which has effect on the lungs when mixed in tobacco and smoked. Some of the friends of Leo fear he has encountered some of the drug. They shudder when discussing the drug and say but little.

It is thought that Leo had a hoard of gold. For the past seven years he has been saving his earnings carefully and intended to send to China for his family. Word was sent to his wife in the far away country only a few days before his death to prepare to meet him.

Sam Leo Was Once Gan Lee's Partner.

He came to St. Louis 14 years ago and was 42 years old. He opened a laundry shop with Gan Lee in Hop Alley. Their enemies were the same and this fact partly accounts for the fear that Leo's body will be taken from its bier as Lee's was. Whoever perpetrated the unearthly trick that caused so much sensation among the St. Louis Chinese is a burdensome mystery to them, and why, but they are determined that it shall not be repeated.

Elaborations for the funeral of Leo are being promoted on a scale as large as they were for Lee, which means that the funeral of Leo next Sunday will be as large as the largest in the history of St. Louis.

Red Paper Will Puzzle Satan.

The body will be buried in the Chinese cemetery amid the weird chants of the antique custom, and the line of the funeral will be strewn with stripes of perforated paper. It is a superstition of the Chinese that the devil follows the corpse from the deathbed to the grave, and that he stops along the way and threads himself through every piece of paper in which there is a hole. Each "chink" attending the funeral next Sunday will carry an armful of paper strips. Each strip will have many holes. All will be scattered.

The devil is not only supposed to pass through each hole, but he is required by the belief of the Chinese to take the strips in order as they lit on the ground.

100,000 DEAD UNDER AMERICANS

Senator Patterson Quotes Appalling Figures of Disease, Famine and War.

WASHINGTON, Auril 14.—One hundred thousand inhabitants of the province of Batangas, Luzon, have perished by war, disease and starvation since the American conquest of the Philippines.

This terrible charge is made by the acting governor of the province in a report to the Philippines commission. Before American occupation of Batanzas there were 300,000 persons resident in the province. Now there are only two-thirds of this number. This is the province in which Trias, Malvar and Zurbano conducted an aggressive campaign against the Americans. The troops were commanded by Brigadier-General J. C. Bates and Brigadier-General J. F. Wade.

The report of the acting governor of Batangas is made public simultaneously with that of Maj. Cornelius Gardener, U. S. A., acting governor of the Province of Tayabas.

Senator Patterson of Colorado said that the reports of the acting governor of Batangas and Maj. Gardener, civil governor of Tayabas, showed a condition of affairs that was appalling.

"These reports and the charges made by Maj. Waller against Gen. Smith establish that a most deplorable state of affairs exists in the Philippines," he said. "There has been simply a carnival of slaughter in the islands. The army has either demanded absolute submission or has given no quarter.

"The acting governor of Batangas, who has a native name, and in whom, of course, the Philippines commission places implicit confidence, speaks not only of the terrible reduction in the population of the province—one hundred thousand—from war, famine and disease, but says that the result is that the confidence once felt in the American troops has disappeared and that a feeling of hatred has taken its place.

"The effect upon the Filipino we know from the reports, but how brutalizing must be the murder and arson committed by American soldiers upon the soldiers themselves!

"Gen. Bell's orders regarding the conduct of the war in southern Luzon shows that every man should be considered as an enemy who failed to prove that he was actively a friend. This was a license to the American troops sent out on expeditions to kill and burn. Thirty days ago I could not have believed that American soldiers would act as these reports show. It seems to me some remedy should be applied, but I am fearful that nothing will be done.

"It is the purpose of the Senate Philippines committee to ask the war department for additional reports received by Secretary Root, which, it is stated, will show that other provinces have suffered as severely as Batangas and Tayabas.

SECTION OF WHARF COLLAPSED

Fifteen Persons Were Thrown Into Water, but Were Rescued.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Fifteen persons narrowly escaped drowning yesterday afternoon by the collapse of a gangplank, leading to a float at the foot of West Forty-second street. Thirteen men and two women, dressed in their best, were hurled into the North river, and 25 more were knocked into rowboats and a launch that were lying alongside the float.

The crowd was there to visit the Austrian cruiser Szigetvar.

Along the north side of the ferry shed runs a strip of wharf five feet wide, which was crowded. From the side of the strip near the outer end, a gangplank led down to the float, around which are 11 rowboats.

There were about 40 persons jammed between the railings of the gangplank. There was a loud crash. The right stringer of the gangplank had broken in two, the right rail flying into the water and the crowd was hurled in all directions, 15 persons falling overboard.

About 30 tumbled into rowboats directly beneath the gangplank, and others were thrown forward and downward to the float already overcrowded. It was 15 minutes before those in the water were rescued.

MME. ODILON'S GREAT SUCCESS

IN FULDA'S "DIE ZWILLINGS SCHWESTER,"

OPENINGS AT OTHER THEATERS

BECAUSE OF HER SUCCESS SHE WILL BE A STAR.

MISS FLORENCE ROCKWELL.

Owing to her great success as leading woman for Henry Miller in "D'Arcy of the Guards" this season, she will blossom out as a star next season in a new play now being written for her.

Mme. Helen Odilon, who in private life is the Baroness Rakvosky, accompanied by the Irving Place Theater company and her husband, was in St. Louis yesterday and was seen last night in Ludwig Fulda's celebrated play, "Die Zwillings Schwester," which translated into English means "The Twin Sister." The play is now being produced in English at Daly's in New York with Margaret Anglin in the part of Guidita, which was played last night by Mme. Odilon, and is creating a real sensation.

The story concerns itself with a nobleman, who, tiring of his wife, who devotedly loves him, is brought to a realizing sense of the folly of casting off the love of a true woman by his wife's clever ruse. In order to win back her husband she invites (or says she will invite) her sister to visit her. This sister looks so much like herself that only the members of her own family can tell the twins apart, a fact which the young wife carefully conceals from her errant spouse. But instead of bringing her twin sister into the house the lady assumes the part of the alleged visitor herself and manages the matter so adroitly as to cause her husband to fall in love with her. When matters have gone far enough the revealment takes place and the discomfited man has to do amusing penance for his folly.

It is quite a remarkable play, and, as presented by Mme. Odilon, was a delicious bit of comedy. Though often compared with Duse, Berhardt, Rejane and other leading actresses, Mme. Odilon has preserved her artistic identity in that while her methods may here and there remind one of her contemporaries, she never looks to them for hints in interpretation, but presents her portrayals in consonance with the author's ideas, rather than alignment with the exigencies of the stage. By this means her acting has gained in instructive force and she has always regarded the stage as an educational rather than a merely diversional apparatus.

That she has, however, not neglected the possibilities of the latter it may be said here that Mme. Odilon has the reputation of being the best dressed actress of continental Europe, a fact which no one will care to dispute after seeing the four beautiful gowns she wore last evening.

Mme. Odilon speaks English with a charming accent, and is very affable. She does not like touring the country, and the long trip from Vienna and then across country to Chicago and St. Louis was not pleasing to her.

"I am very tired by all this steamboat and railroad quickness, and I haf the headache most depressing," said Mme. Odilon after a rehearsal yesterday afternoon. "But to hurry was the message I receive from Herr Conreid, and it was necessary also, for I haf arrive in—what you call him?—the 'nickle' of time. It is often so with me, this headache, and when the play begin I am well again, but to rush across half the world is much bother, not lending itself to the instant recovery.

"Which of the parts that I play do I prefer? Well, perhaps I like best to be in 'Die Zwillings Schwester'—'The Twin Sister,' you call it. In that play—it is one of costume—I wear the four gowns of what the newspapers haf call the 'dazzling splendor,.' And, better of all, there is superior opportunity for my art. Yet I am of equal fondness for my role as Marion in 'Fee Caprice.' There once more I wear the lovely dresses, but different than before. You haf not yet seen 'Fee Caprice' in the staats—the United States. I hope I shall make in it—what's the word?—the hit.

"You think because I haf played in more as three hundred parts of importance like Camille, Sans Gene and Zaza, that I will be glad some day to retire? Ah, yes! I believe I shall make positive farewell appearance in—let me see—in sixty or seventy years. Time waves his wings so fast—is it not so? My bow for good-by will come before I know. Only sixty or seventy little years! I am sad when I consider it. Let us not talk of things so mournful. It is enough that I am here in America now, and glad because I get always a pretty welcome. Next year I shall come to stay longer—many months."

MME. HELEN ODILON.

The career of Mme. Odilon has been remarkable in many ways. She was born 29 years ago in Dresden, and began her study for the stage under Ottilie Genee when only 10 years old. After three years of patient instruction Mme. Genee dismissed her young pupil as hopelessly incompetent. Little Helene, in default of anything better, secured a part with an unimportant company playing a summer engagement at Ems. Here she was noticed by the German Emperor, Wilhelm I, and being much impressed by her cleverness, youth and beauty, he obtained for her a place in the stock company of Die Koeniglliches Schauspiel Haus, or Royal Theater, in Berlin. A year later, when she was 15, she appeared in the leading role of Bauernfeld's "Bekenthisse"—"Confessions." She has gone from one triumph to another ever since.

The Castle Square company inaugurated its closing week at the Century by singing "Stabat Mater," preceded by a bill of sacred songs—an appropriate Sunday evening program. The performance was practically the same as that presented on Good Friday evening. A large, and for the most part, fashionably dressed audience showed its appreciation of the numbers rendered. All of the principals took part, either in solo, duet or quartette, except Mr. Delamotta, who has a severe cold and whose hoarseness prevented his appearance in a solo. Miss Norwood rather carried off the honors, if special honors there were, and she was compelled to repeat "In Thy Holy Care," with chorus accompaniment. And the chorus, too, did itself proud, what excellence of voice there is in this aggregation of "ensemble artists" being all the better brought out by the absence of fancy costumes and stage "business."

Maude Adams and several members of her company occupied a box, and were interested and appreciative auditors.

This evening "Il Trovatore" will be sung by the following cast: Manrico, Mr. Sheehan; Count, Mr. Golf; Ferrando, Mr. Boyle; Leonora, Miss Norwood; Azucena, Miss Dufre; Inez, Miss Ramey, and Ruiz, Mr. Tennery.

This opera will be repeated Wednesday evening, the balance of the week being taken up as follows: Tuesday evening and Saturday matinee, "Bohemian Girl;" Thursday evenin and Wednesday matinee, "Carmen;" Friday evening, "Faust," and Saturday evening, "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "I pagliacci."

At the Grand Opera House Murray and Mack gave two performances of "Shooting the Chutes" yesterday to good-sized audiences. The entertainment furnished is broad farce, but it contained enough new matter to make it interesting. Murray and Mack are pretty fair entertainers themselves and have with them a company of considerable merit. The hit of the evening was made in Dan Daly's song, "Oh, Fudge," which Mr. Murray sings better than Daly. The play has been seen here before.

Inez Forman and J. Frazer Crosby, Jr., opened a week's engagement at the Imperial yesterday in "East Lynne." They give an excellent production of the most famous emotional play ever put on the stage.

"The Flaming Arrow," with Go-won-Go-Mohawk, a real Indian girl, as the star, is at Havlin's this week. It opened yesterday to two large houses. It is a Lincoln J. Carter melodrama of the most Carter type and consequently made as big a hit as when first seen here. It will do a big week's business.

The Olympic Theater will undoubtedly be crowded to the doors tonight when Maude Adams appears in the successful new comedy by J. M. Barrie entitled "Quality Street." Both star and play have received the highest tributes of praise from press and public in New York and the few other cities in which the play has been presented.

The Picchiani Sisters are the head liners in an unusually attractive bill which will go on at the Columbia this afternoon. It is long and full of good things.

The Cabanne Vaudeville Company will give an entertainment at the St. Charles Opera House tomorrow night, which will be a decided novelty. The headline attraction is Miss Katheryn Schaffer and Mr. Andrew Arbuckle in a ridiculous travesty, "Rastus and Cindy Wildflower." A lot of young people will accompany the troupe from Cabanne, a special car leaving Wellston at 6:30 p. m.

"The Brigadiers" furnished good entertainment at two performances at the Standard Theater yesterday. The company is an excellent combination of vaudeville and burlesque artists and one of the best shows of the season was given.

Frederick Bryton, the well-known actor, who was associated with Clara Morris at one time, is dead at his home in Rochester, according to a Post-Dispatch special from that city.

Victor Herbert and the Pittsburg Orchestra, of which he is conductor, will give concerts at the Odeon on Sunday, April 20. Herbert is famous as a composer, his operas having held sway in this country for years. His melodies have been played everywhere and some of them will be heard at this concert. He is a famous compounder of programs, and, while the selections will be "popular" they will never be beneath the dignity of either composer or orchestra. With the orchestra are three famous soloists: Luigi von Kunits, the violinist, is a young Austrian who studied under the greatest masters of Europe; Henri Merck has traveled over the world as a soloist with famous organizations, and Miss Anna Bussart, the vocalist, is a young soprano with a fine voice and a most pleasing personality.

Considerable attention was called to "The Liberty Belles," when the piece was first produced, because of a very pretty girl who appeared in the first act attired in a suit of pink pajamas. This young woman is still in the cast despite the fact that she is engaged to a very wealthy New Yorker, and will wear her pink pajamas in St. Louis at the Olympic Theater Sunday evening, April 20, at the debut of "The Liberty Belles."

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WENCESLAUS' KNIGHTS WON.

St. John's Parish Organization Did Not Appear at Drill.

The Knights of St. Wenceslaus won the sword offered as a prize in the competitive prize drill held Sunday night at the Bohemian hall, Ninth street and Allen avenue.

The Knights of St. John, who were to have competed for the prize, did not appear. Casper Wolf, the captain, was on hand. He explained that the men were unwilling to enter the contest in their old uniforms.

Joseph J. Babka is president and George A. Cibulak captain of the winning team. The proceeds of the drill and the vaudeville entertainment, which followed it, are to provide funds for the convention of the national union of Bohemian Catholics, to be held in St. Louis in September.

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Satin stripe Etamine, 35c value.
Mercerized Madras Satin Stripes.
White Lace stripe Sea Island Batiste.
White Silk and Linen Batiste.
White Embroidered Dotted Swiss Dimity.
Leno stripe White Pique, the 39c quality.
Fancy White Oxfords for Waists, 35c value.

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Fleeced Lined White Pique, 50c value.

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Mercerized Oxfords, with embroidered stripes, 59c value.
Fine stripe and plaid Madras.
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44-inch embroidered Dotted White Swiss Muslin.
Mercerized Leno stripe White Madras.
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Will the poet pension commissioner have to be kicked upstairs before the first Roosevelt term expires?

If you want to get a bill through the St. Louis Municipal Assembly, you must suggest the proper conditions.

THE OTHER OX IS GORED.

What a difference it makes, whose ox is gored!

For instance: United States Judge Grosscup issued a writ of injunction against the railroad companies forbidding them to violate the interstate commerce law. This employment of the injunction in a case where the criminal law affords a remedy causes grave alarm to the Railway Age, which says:

"The law itself provides for penalties for infractions thereof. These penalties are of themselves sufficiently severe and embrace fine and imprisonment. The penalties attaching to a contempt of court cannot well be more drastic. * * * It seems strange that it is thought necessary to institute a proceeding in equity to support an action in law. There is a law against stealing and penalties are provided thereunder. A man may have a poor reputation for obedience to the law without ever having been actually convicted under it, but it would be an innovation for the authorities to sue out a writ of injunction to restrain him from stealing."

Just so. But that is the very argument employed by people who didn't approve of the use of the injunction against strikers. The other ox is gored.

A change in the presidential term as well as in the date of the inauguration might benefit the country.

LITERARY MEN IN POLITICS.

We are going to have a literary man in the pension office. Eugene F. Ware, just appointed pension commissioner to succeed Mr. Evans, is a poet of no mean power. "Ironquill" is known and loved all over the West, where he is not a minor poet, either, but a verse writer of distinct power and versatility.

Mr. Ware will not be exactly a fish out of water in official life. The President himself is guilty of "works" which are standard. Mr. Hay, the secretary of state, has done good work in the literary line, though, it is said, he blushes when the subject is mentioned. Andrew D. White, ambassador at Berlin, writes eloquently and instructively on all manner of scientific and philosophical subjects. Commissioner of Education Harris is famous as a man who writes clearly on the cloudiest philosophy.

Nevertheless Mr. Ware will not be crowded as a poet. The lofty sentiments of the practical politicians still prevail. "The literary man has no business in politics," said Simon Cameron, who expressed the still prevailing notion among the men who think the man who expresses himself well is apt to do things ill. And even among public men of broader view, the penman is not in high favor. He is "Gigadibs, the literary man," as Browning called him, and that curious characterization reflects the average practical opinion of the man who writes.

But Mr. Ware won't write much while in the pension office, unless conditions change. He will have more than he can do pleasing everybody without displeasing anybody, which in these days is all that a competent commissioner is expected to do.

St. Louis may be the first city to do away with licenses charged for engaging in business. Such reform would be worth more to us than a World's Fair.

A BROAD-MINDED AERONAUT.

The statements of M. Santos-Dumont in regard to the present and future of aerial navigation, published in Friday's Post-Dispatch, show him to be a broad-minded, progressive man.

Unlike most inventors, this daring aeronaut has not protected his inventions or methods by patents. He seeks no monopoly or big fortune, but cordially invites co-operation and competition. All he desires is that aerial navigation shall become successful. And he looks to the United States, "this land where things advance so rapidly, the greatest country in the world," to take the matter up with all its magnificent possibilities.

Santos-Dumont says that within ten years we shall have transatlantic aerial navigation. He denies that there is unusual danger in the airship. With a well-constructed, sufficiently powerful airship of the Santos-Dumont kind, it would seem that aerial navigation would be about as safe as automobile racing. But there is a vast field for improvement, and this Brazilian, who says he is about at the end of his resources, wishes to see Americans enter the field and carry his experiments to a finality. Our investors, scientists and moneyed men would do well to take up this challenge. If we are to have transatlantic aerial navigation the first airship to cross the ocean should be of American invention and manufacture.

The great mortality of Texas saloons may have something to do with the growth of sentiment in favor of local option in the Empire State of the South. Texas needs all her people and has room for many immigrants.

LABOR MAYORS

Labor mayors are becoming quite the fashion. A few months ago San Francisco elected a union candidate and a few days ago Hartford, Conn., elected the candidate of the Federation of Labor.

Hartford is said to have more wealth per capita than any other city in the country.

Mr. Sullivan, the newly elected mayor, was a clerk in a store a few weeks ago. He was president of the Clerks' Union, but has never been conspicuous. After a whirlwind campaign, in which he was opposed by a wealthy and very popular candidate, a man who distinguished himself in the Spanish war, he carried the town by a vote of 6648 to 6134, converting a minority of 3000 into a majority of 514.

These elections and those in Bridgeport and Ansonia, where workingmen elected their tickets, show that neither special moneyed interests, nor social influence, nor political chicane can beat the people, when organized and pursuing an intelligent purpose.

The trade unions had certain definite objects for which they had long been laboring. Their demands appear to have been reasonable both in San Francisco and in Hartford. At any rate, the mass of voters sustained them and their policy by electing men pledged to carry it out.

The people are still self-governing. If interests inimical to progress and the public welfare now and then get control, it is because the people are indifferent and neglectful.

"Not enough time" is the plea of the Council to the charge that it has wilfully failed to protect the people from street railway oppression by making effective regulative ordinances. It has been nearly five months since Mayor Wells urged legislation on the subject—time enough for an active committee to revise all the ordinances of the city of St. Louis. The plea is a farce, covering a desire to protect the railways from unpleasant regulations.

ASSESSMENT VALUES

The statement of assessments by the City Board of Equalization, published in detail in the Sunday Post-Dispatch, is full of encouragement.

The increases in assessed values of real estate is a recognition of the prosperity of the city and the growth of business. The total of the additions on real property amounts to nearly $16,000,000, the bulk of which is upon downtown holdings.

The assessment upon franchises, however, carries hope of municipal regeneration. It is only a beginning and some of the assessments seem too low, but the practice, once begun, will never be abandoned. The taxable value found, $4,280,940, will provide a handsome revenue for city and schools.

This phase of the subject is of interest especially to merchants and manufacturers who are oppressed by barbarous licence taxes. With every advance in the application of the principle of franchise taxation there is an advantage gained which will enable the business community to throw off the restrictive taxes which hinder trade and prevent the normal extension of the city's commerce.

The increased boodler bonds are heavy, but the figures are insignificant compared with the sums of which the city has been robbed by boodlers.

A GREAT HEAD.

Another great thinker is at large.

He is the man who has discovered that Shakspeare's name is hidden in the Forty-sixth Psalm.

Ergo, Bacon wrote Shakspeare.

Take your Bible and turn to the Forty-sixth Psalm. Count 46 words from the beginning, and what do you find? The word "Shake." Wonderful! Now, if, like a crab, you can go backward, count 46 words from the end, and, behold, the word "Spear." Prodigious! Isn't this proof positive?

But where does Bacon come in?

That question shows how obtuse you are. You are unable to estimate the value of evidence.

Wasn't Bacon a very learned man? Does it not follow that he perhaps translated the Bible; the fiction of translators appointed by King James being invented out of respect to the lord chancellor's beautiful modesty? "Perhaps" is not enough, however. The proof lies in this Psalm, where Bacon hides himself behind Shakspeare.

It is clear as crystal. Bacon translated the Bible. That we know from this Forty-sixth Psalm, and of course it needs only a little logical sprightliness to enable us to reach the conclusion speedily that he wrote Shakspeare.

What a wonderful thing it is to have a great head?

The automobile, improved, cheapened and in general use, will do much for the New St. Louis. The automobile is clean and it will not browse on shrubbery and trees or injure the sidewalk grass.

With smooth streets the delivery clerk, the peddler, the milkman and the letter carrier will no longer load their shoes with mud to be spread upon the newly cleaned front steps.

Rhodes' proposed union with America and universal peace should set the Canadians to thinking. They could set the mother country a good example by joining us now.

If Father Marquette, who passed the site of St. Louis 229 years ago, could view it once more in the World's Fair year, what an astonished priest there would be.

By helping postal thief Rathbone escape punishment Mr. Hanna can at least convince people that he really doesn't want to be President.

Congress is regarded by Gen. Schofield as a "fountain of error." There are others who look upon it as a great cataract rather than a fountain.

The protection of Pierpont Morgan's infant industries seems likely to go on for a long time after the death of President McKinley.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

The British idea is that the muleteer goes with the mule all the time.

Instead of a dignified sum we have to pay a staggering price for new city halls.

Maj. Waller's precedents for cruelty in war ought to be very useful to our Philippine commanders.

If Edward is to be anointed with oil, why not sprinkle a little of the gusher product on our President Ted?

The two South Carolina mobs, bent on lynching, that sprinted when the sheriffs fired upon them, may some day be law-abiding citizens.

The American man must be almost as sweet as the American woman if it is true that an American is about to marry a lady "very near the Czarina."

The "everybody to be polite" system now coming into favor on railroads should include passengers. A cranky passenger may be as disagreeable as a cranky employe.

Should Miss Gould's $100,000 naval institution for the Y. M. C. A. teach the sinfulness of killing, some of our boys may have scruples about going into the next war, especially if it should be a war for expansion.

The "surge of pasterns, flanks and withers, the hail of hammering hoofs and the shriek of wheezing breath" noted by the Lathrop boom pamphlet are an awful proof of what we have been doing for Great Britain.

The father who is sued by a bank because in introducing his son to it he neglected to state that the young man had served a term in the penitentiary is pardonable as a father, but there is an element of carelessness in his act which is bad on banks.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

AGENT.—Inquire at office of license commissioner for information.

B. B.—Try the Railroad Gazette, New York, and the Railway Age, Chicago.

M. V. B.—No, not every church in St. Louis was open for service Good Friday.

J. W. F.—Write to Binger Hermann, commissioner general land office, Washington, D. C.

C. B. A.—Write to "Russells Dates," Newark, N. J., for dates of conventions in Philadelphia.

SUBSCRIBER.—Do not know the book. Ask your local dealer to look it up for you. There is no premium on 20-cent piece of 1875.

IGNORANCE.—Address him "To the Secretary of the Navy, Washington, D. C., Sir." Don't know whether he would answer such a question, but you may consult the record of the navy.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

J. A. W.—The United States government has extradition treaties with most of the principal nations, but the terms differ widely. Better consult list in public library.

SUBSCRIBER.—Since Mr. Butler does not retain his seat, it would seem that the terms of A.'s bet are satisfied. It doesn't matter whether Mr. Horton is seated or not. But the Post-Dispatch does not settle bets.

P. A. N. O.—(1) A diamond will burn in oxygen gas, if the diamond is first made red hot in a gas jet or other flame and then plunged into the oxygen. (2) Good olive or linseed oil will soften baseball players' gloves. (3) Name your club according to the circumstances of its making—neighborhood, etc.

St. Louis Boodling.

From the Springfield, Mo., Evening Record.

Such appalling conditions are not chargeable to any one political party, because both parties furnish men who are responsible. The great trouble seems to be that the people are too widely separated from their representatives. The initiative and referendum vote in municipal matters would remedy this evil and it is only a question of a few years until the people will insist upon direct legislation in municipalities.

Just A Minute

WITH THE POST-DISPATCH POET AND PHILOSOPHER.

VERNAL FANCIES.

LET me linger, idle, lazy,
Unconcerned, without a care,
Musing where the skies are hazy,
Waiting for the coming daisy,
Drinking in the balmy air,
And I'll ask no blessing greater.
Spring shall be my alma mater—
Loving mother, fond and fair.

Let me linger where the rushes
By the creek are fresh and green;
Where the mellow-throated thrushes
Warble daily; where the hush is
Eloquent of thoughts serene;
Where, with hook and line and minnow,
I can fish at ease, and winnow
Truest joys, and rest unseen.

Let me linger where the zephyr
Fans the grasses and the weeds,
Where the lowing of the heifer
Makes me every moment deafer
To the call that duty heeds.
With a sandwich and a bottle
Every sorrow I can throttle:
These shall satisfy my needs.

A Little Smoke Talk.

Whenever anything goes wrong with a man who smokes cigarettes, his downfall is immediately attributed by many persons to the fact that he smoked cigarettes. No other reason is ever sought for. The latest example is Joseph Flanagan of Oakland, Cal. At the age of 35 years he commenced to smoke cigarettes. For five years, we are informed, he smoked incessantly. (Cigarette smokers always "smoke incessantly.") Now, at the age of 40, he is in an asylum for the insane. What did it? Cigarettes, say the wise ones.

Let us see. Although Flanagan "smoked incessantly," he managed to consume only 40 cigarettes a day. If he were awake 16 hours a day that would mean he smoked 2½ cigarettes an hour, or one every 24 minutes. Any cigarette smoker knows that any cigarette, properly smoked, will last only 10 minutes; therefore Flanagan could not have "smoked incessantly." A little calculation proves that he smoked only 29 per cent of the time.

There was once an absurd story that Robert Louis Stevenson smoked 150 cigarettes a day. This would mean 1,095,000 cigarettes in 20 years, or one each six minutes during each waking hour for two whole decades. Persons who know anything about cigarettes know that this story is not true. Stevenson may have smoked 60 a day, but even at that he managed to attain quite a reputation. The same is true of Paderewski.

Some observers contend that Mr. Flanagan was as crazy at 35 as he is said to be at 40, else he would never have commenced to smoke cigarettes at that age.

The Way It Goes.

The man who rolls in money has no trouble getting more,
Any time, any time.
The man who has no wealth at all is naturally sore,
All the time, all the time.
The man who holds a modest job cannot repress a frown
When others climb upon his neck and strive to keep him down,
And so he gets dissatisfied and cusses out the town,
Many a time, many a time.

QUEER STORIES.

A curious example of superstition was made public the other day through the medium of the law courts of Berlin. A tree growing opposite the gateway of a farmer was noticed to be withering away and dying. On further investigation it was found that a deep hole had been bored in it, probably by some person who wished to kill it. As the tree somewhat incommoded the entrance to the farmer's house he was charged with the deed and fined. He, however, appealed to a higher court and succeeded in proving that the hole had been bored by some superstitious person who believed in the old superstition that if illness attacks a household it can be driven away by "burying" it in a healthy tree. A hole is bored in the tree and all kinds of medicines are buried in the hole, which is then carefully stopped up, amid the singing of weird incantations. This could have been done by any superstitious person in the neighborhood, the farmer pointed out. The judge acquitted him.

A writer on children's games in Japan says: "Blind man's bluff as played in Japan is quite the same as the game played by western children, but if you play it with Japanese I may warn you not to say 'Come here' in English to any one you may be trying to catch. It will be all right to say in Japanese 'Chotto oide' (Come here a moment) or 'Olde nasai' (Condescend to come here). The person spoken to will not 'oide,' of course, if he or she can help himself or herself, but if you call out in English 'Come here!' as I know a foreigner did once, you may interrupt the game. 'Come here' (in Japanese character written ka-mi) means foreign dog. Inu is the word for native dog, but the first foreigners in Yokohama, Americans and English folk, always said 'Come here' to their dogs and the expression has become a Japanese word."

The darkness that has pervaded the pyramids for thousands of years is now to be dispelled by the electric light. Maspero, the director of the society intrusted with the preservation of Egyptian antiquities, has begun work on the historic temple of Karnak at Thebes. So successful has the result been that the inner passages and catacombs of the great pyramids are now to be lighted.

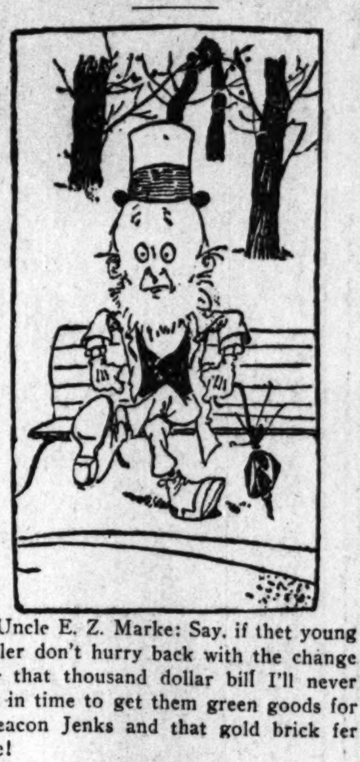
DOUBTFUL PRAISE.

Miss Uppersee: The audience went wild over my singing. I had to repeat my song no less than four times.

Mrs. Oldtimer: Why, that's just the way they used to make over me at school. I've known the time when the teacher made me say my lesson over half a dozen times.—Boston Transcript.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

WAITING—JUST WAITING.



Uncle E. Z. Marke: Say, if thet young feller don't hurry back with the change fer that thousand dollar bill I'll never be in time to get them green goods for Deacon Jenks and that gold brick fer me!

IMITATION.

"They say she went all to pieces when she heard of the death of her old lover."

"Is that so? I suppose that was her way of trying to flatter him. He thawed out a couple of sticks of dynamite by putting them in the stove, you know."—Chicago Record-Herald.

HIS FAVORITE KIND.

Rimer: And who is your favorite poet, Mr. Kostique?

Kostique: Chatterton.

Rimer: Huh! What do you find to admire in him?

Kostique: He committed suicide.—Philadelphia Record.

HIS LATEST.

Weary Walker (explaining to credulous professor): Yessir, I t'ink I may represent meself as de original discoverer of perpetooal motion, an' if you have a little coin handy I will give you de demonstration.

LOOK TO THE FUTURE.

Just live within your income, for
There's always this about it,
You'll have to live within it, or
Some day you'll live without it.
—Philadelphia Press.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

Man is his own star, and the soul that can
Render an honest and perfect man
Commands all life, all influence, all fate. EMERSON.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Ambition is an itching for something you haven't got.

Woman was born to wait. First she waits to be married and have children; then she waits for them to be married and have children.

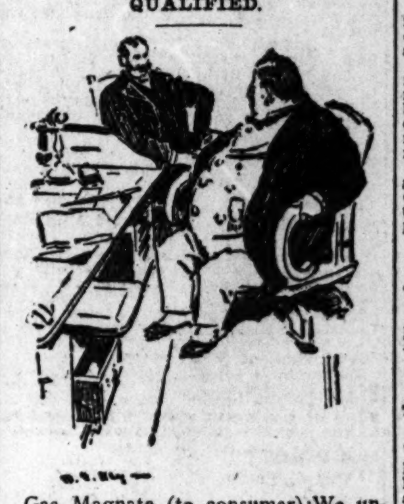
There are two ways to climb in the world; one is to go higher than your friends, the other to have them go lower than you.

The average man seems to think if he marries a woman he has her love secure; but the real problem is to hold it after he has married her.—New York Press.

A GARDENER'S WOE.

Representative Lacey of Iowa sent a packet of seeds to a rural constituent, the franked envelope, as usal, bearing the words, "$300 penalty for private use." The recipient of the seeds was in great distress of mind. "I can not put the seeds to public use," he wrote, despairingly, "and I can not afford to pay $300 for using them myself."

QUALIFIED.

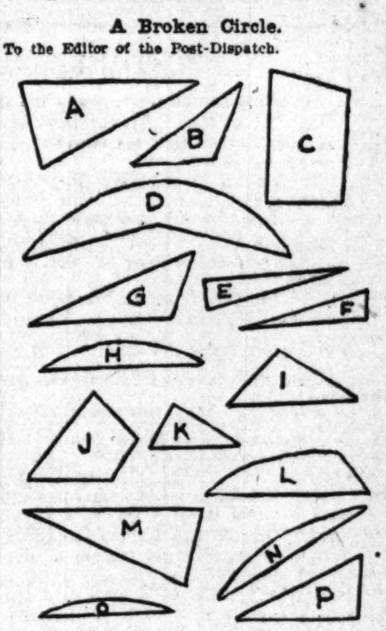


Gas Magnate (to consumer): We understand that you have succeeded in beating the company out of your last month's gas bill by manipulating the meter. The office of president of this corporation at present being vacant, we have sent for you in order to tender you the position. You are evidently the man for the place.

PUZZLES AND THEIR SOLUTION

A Broken Circle.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.



Make a complete circle of these pieces. Letter each piece. The radius of the circle is ⅞ inch. HOOSIER BILL.

Cat in Well.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please ask you puzzle workers to solve this problem: If a cat falls in a well 20 feet deep, crawls up 5 feet a day, and falls back 4 feet at night, how long will it take the cat to get out. H. E. W.,
St. Louis. Pupil of Riddick School.

Height of Pole.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Mr. Strange gives a process and answer to the pole in the ground, and if he had stated that "the product of the sum and difference of any two quantities are equal to the difference of their squares" (which, by the way, is an algebraic formula), then he would have made a solution, but not without squaring a number.

If he can find why the annexing of 4 to 8 will not give the height of the pole in the ground as it does the pole and cord problem, then he can solve either without squaring a number, as both propositions are the same. REASONED.
St. Louis.

Several Answers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I wish to submit the following answers to puzzles published in your paper:

1. Answer to J. R.'s duck puzzle; nothing to it but five; duck before a duck, 2 ducks; duck behind a duck, 2 ducks; duck in the middle, 1 duck, total, five ducks. See!

2. Cut out the hen and egg game, answer may be 14, 28 or 42. But why prolong the discussion. You can't get all the people to think the same way, so lets forget it.

3. Answer to "Bondholder's" "sisters and brothers have I none, but that man's father was my father's son," the newcomer was father of the man referred to as that man.

4. Answer to "Feder" as to how arrive at the total of consecutive numbers, beginning with number one, without adding. The best method is as follows: Add one to any given number, then multiply by original number, then divide by 2. Example, 1 to 10: 10 plus 1 equals 11, 10 times 11 equals 110, 110 divided by 2 equals 55. The number 365 works out as follows: 365 add 1, 366; multiply by 365, divide by 2; 133,590; 66,795.

St. Louis. AM. J. WRIGHT.

(The hen and the egg problem has been dropped. The majority made 28 the answer, which must be accepted.—Ed. Post-Dispatch.)

A Child's Answers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In answer to the puzzle of the ducks, the man had three ducks.

The answer to the puzzle of the strange guest I would say the strange guest was the father of the man he pointed out, and he was the son of his own father.
EDNA BECKMANN, Madison school.

Tramps and Loaves.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I have been very much interested in your "Puzzle Department," which recalls old days when I sent puzzles to the Toledo Blade, and I take pleasure in submitting the following for your publication:

Three tramps, A, B, and C, sit down to dispose of eight loaves of bread. Each eats the same amount. Five of the loaves belong to A and three of them to B. C has none, but he pays 8 cents for his share of the meal. How should the money be divided between A and B?
St. Louis. PLAYNE BLAYNUE.

Ages.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

There is a puzzle which is called "Ages." Father and son are aged 71 and 34, respectively. At what age was the father three times the age of his son, and at what age will the latter have reached half of his father's age?

Please let your readers try this one also: A youngster asked a farmer how many pigs he had? Said the farmer: "If I had as many more and half as many more and 7 to boot, I should have 32." How many had he? DR S.
East St. Louis, Ill.

Three Answers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please publish these solutions to the duck problem: I think the answer is three ducks. To the one of the strange guest I think the man speaking was the father to the one he pointed to. To the one about the bottle and cork, the answer is 5 cents cost of cork.
A COLUMBIA SCHOOLGIRL.
St. Louis.

Hoosier Bill's Problems.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I am not sure that any harm was done by the interchange of the illustrations of Hoosier Bill's problems published the 10th and 11th, since neither is a problem capable of any solution whatsoever. How long a road may be to cut off a corner of unknown size from a farm of unknown dimensions leaving 15.387 square rods on one side is a very indefinite question. I assure him it may be any "decimal of a mile" that pleases his fancy from .0006 to .5, but could not be much more than the latter.

If, however, it were stipulated that the points A and B are midway of the sides (they are nearly so in the picture), with 15.376 rods on the one side of the road, then the entire square contains 17,572.57 rods, and the distance from A to B is 93.3 rods.

Again, in his other problem, if A and B represent the angles or corners of the box no piece of wood 2x2 of any length whatsoever will "fit exactly without sharpened ends from A to B of this box."

Now will he or anyone else answer this: Twelve cows are passing through a gate. Which one of them can turn around and say, "I see 11 pairs of horns behind me?"
St. Louis. DANIEL STRANGE.

Measuring Wine.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A and B are partners. They buy 8 gallons of wine which comes in an 8-gallon keg. They then wish to divide it equally. A to have 4 gallons and B to have 4 gallons. Beside the 8-gallon keg they have a 3 and a 5-gallon measure. How could they divide the wine equally? JENNIE R.
St. Louis.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.)

Unsightly Bill Boards.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Being a reader of the Post-Dispatch I observe that you have begun war on the unsightly billboard. The stand you take is a timely one and numerous friends join me in wishing you success to the end of abolishing this abominable way of advertising one's business. The proper way and the only way to advertise is in the newspapers.

There should be a law to protect the city from these hideous sights. Take Grand avenue for an instance. If they keep it up what will the city look like during our World's Fair? Keep up your good work. You have the good wishes of thousands.
St. Louis. A READER.

Reception to Mr. Redmond.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Kindly suggest in your next issue to the Hibernian Knights, Company A, Ancient Order of Hibernians, that it would do justice to Mr. Redmond if they would attend in a body at the reception, in full military uniform. As they were the finest body of men in the St. Patrick's Day parade, also a credit to St. Louis and their mother country, Ireland. K.,
St. Louis. An Irish-American.

Brutal Dog Catchers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

You have always taken up questions that have needed attention which other people seem to be too dilatory to do or too hard-hearted. I saw three dog catchers take three handsome dogs and brutally treat them. From my view, it looked as though they deliberately broke one of the dog's legs to make him stop struggling. Another they struck on the top of the wagon to stop its howling. Cannot something be done to rid a civilized community of these heathenish brutes? Please take this up as you have all things in the cause of humanity.
AN EYE-WITNESS OF THE ABOVE.
St. Louis, April 11.

Give the Ladies Seats.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Referring to a letter in to-night's Post-Dispatch, signed "Upward and Onward," in which is the question, "Should a gentleman give a lady his seat in a street car."

May I use your valuable space for saying yes, most emphatically; the question does not arise, is she young and pretty, old and infirm and is she going far?

Whatever these conditions may be the fact remains she is a woman, and it is not only a gentleman's duty to her sex but a privilege to his to at all times make every effort to make her life one of happiness and contentment instead of that of a martyred strapholder.

Get up and give the ladies your seats, gentlemen; you'll feel better for having done so, and enough of them will smilingly thank you for it to amply repay you for the politeness or energy expended.
St. Louis. A REBEL.

"What Is in a Kiss?"

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Will you kindly publish in next Sunday's paper the poem entitled, "What Is in a Kiss," and the name of the author.
Maplewood, Mo. T. A. FRANCIS.

Which Is the Chicken's Mother?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I noticed in the Post-Dispatch tonight that "A Chick" wants to know to what kingdom the egg belongs. To the animal kingdom, of course. For it springs from animal, and contains the germ of animal life. Please ask some of the readers of your valuable paper to tell through its columns, which is the mother of a chicken, the hen that lays the egg or the hen that hatches the egg. OLD HEN.
St. Louis.

An Animal in Embryo.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Little Chick asks: "Does the egg belong to the animal, the vegetable or the mineral kingdom?"

That may be best answered by saying the egg is an embryonic animal. All animals, including man, spring, primarily, from an egg. An egg is, simply, a propagating cell, and it is always alive, though such life is for a time apparently dormant. There are some animals which spend their whole lives as eggs or simple life cells, never developing to anything higher. The Anoebrae are notable examples. Little Chick should read Haeckel's "Evolution of Man."
AMAMUS.

To Flower and Vegetable Growers

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I would like to call attention to a very excellent fertilizer going to waste in front of nearly every man's door.

In the course of events it became necessary for me to fill the back end of my lot about one foot, so I made arrangements with the foreman of a street gang cleaning Broad street, in Columbus, O., to dump 100 cart loads of the street scrapings on my lot. Out of one of the piles three tomato plants came up spontaneously, and they spread 15 feet in diameter, and I gathered about six bushels of tomatoes off the three vines. Next I planted a cherry tree in a cartload of the mud (previously dumped into a hole prepared for it) the tree was about one inch through at the butt. I trimmed it down to three prongs about eight inches long, two to three buds on each prong. The first season those buds grew limbs 3 to 5 feet long. I next planted a grape root in the same manner, let one shoot grow, and it grew 18 feet. The second summer I trimmed it down to 4 feet, left five joints on it. Each joint put out a shoot and each shoot had a well-developed bunch of grapes on it.

But the very best fertilizer for young roots is leaf mould out in the woods. Where leaves collect in odd corners for years and decay a fine mould collects on the surface of the ground. It is full of fine white roots when it is first scraped up. Nothing can excel this for young, tender roots to take hold of.
St. Louis. J. G. SHANER.

Careless Contractors and Plumbers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

While driving out Pine street last evening I could not but remark at the carelessness of contractors and plumbers or pipe layers. While the workmen and machines have not yet finished laying the new asphalt paving at the other end of Pine street, near Grand avenue, it has already been hacked and cut up at the other end. At about 2700 Pine street there are three different fractures of the new pave, or street, and as usual after these butchers get through they threw a lot of clay and macadam into the holes they had made.

Now, is there no way the city can compel these men to put up a forfeit to cover the cost of relaying the street just as they found it? In this case it is particularly a flagrant violation in view of the talk of new St. Louis and good streets. How can there be any good streets when such things are permitted? To allow it to be torn up and spoiled before the men have fairly or hardly left the spot. I would request you to kindly call the street commissioner's attention to it; this is the way it has been for years; these men tear it up, do what they want, then throw back the clay and muck any old way. This don't go in Indianapolis, Detroit or any other well-paved city. If they tear up there where they are obliged to they are also obliged to replace it in the same way. WILLIAM MITCHELL.
St. Louis.

To the Sleeper on the Car.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In your issue of April 10 I noticed a letter signed "One of the Boys," in which he complains of being carried by his destination, while taking a sleep on the transit company cars.

I am one of those conductors, who, when he has had occasion to haul a man with a few (?) in him; have asked him where he wanted to get off and only once in seven years have I escaped a round of abuse for my attempting to accommodate "One of the Boys."

I would suggest that you abstain from taking a few (?) till you get near enough to home so that you can walk there then you won't fall asleep on "those noisy cars."

But if you must ride, if you will remember that you are asking a favor and speak to the conductor as if he was a man, and tell him to call you at your street, you will find that he will be there to call you if he has not too many to call. But say, stay sober and be independent.
St. Louis. A CONDUCTOR.

BASEBALL, PUGILISM, COURSING, ATHLETICS, RACING

CARDINALS MEET HOOSIERS TODAY

Popp or Murphy Will Pitch the Second Indianapolis Game.

Weather permitting, Donovan's band of baseball aspirants will endeavor to show the Indianapolis team that Sunday's victory was not an accident as might be believed from the box score. Popp and Murphy are in line for box work for the home team and the former St. Louisans, Sudhoff and Heydon, will do battery work for Indianapolis.

Arthur Nichols injured his right hand in Sunday's contest and will be out of the game for two weeks with a split finger. Jack Ryan and O'Neill will do the backstop duty in the interval.

The Cardinals will also be minus the services of First Baseman Hazleton for a day or two, that efficient ball player having a bad knee. The member was skinned in a hard slide and became worse in the last day or two. Brashear will hold down the first corner during his absence, Donovan going to right field.

Adams, the only cardinal-hosed pitcher of the season to stay a full game out, will probably be given another chance to show his ability before the Pirates appear on the scene. If he does as well as in his last effort, he will probably stack up against the aggregation of Fred Clarke during the four games played by that aggregation here, during the opening days of the season.

Sunday's contest was not of the kind that starts the fount of hope to playing. If the aggregation that won yesterday defeats Pittsburg, it will probably be with a different style of baseball than that which downed the Hoosiers.

The fielding was well enough, and the men were alert on bases with one or two exceptions, but oh, the batting! Rather the want of it, for there was very little done by the Donovanites. Mr. Kruger came to the front at a proper time with a double that drove in a couple of anchored men, but not a run in the contest was earned by the St. Louis men. A wild pitch let in two on one occasion, and on another, with three men on bases and nobody out, not a lick of batting could the team bring to the front. Two men were out before Kruger finally did his "pinch hit" turn.

Indianapolis made more hits, but seemed unable to turn them to advantage. Donovan's men made no bad errors, and the Watkins tribe were not good enough to win without them.

Davis, the pitcher, practically lost his own game. At times he was effective and the St. Louis men could not hit him safely. The other times, though, neutralized all his good work. A wild pitch on one occasion let in two runs, and the men whom Kruger drove home with his double were given free passes to first. Altogether five runs were presented St. Louis by Mr. Davis, and as the Indianapolis team scored three runs, it appears that Mr. Davis handed his own game away.

BROOKLYN YACHT CLUB CRUISE

Race From Montauk Point to Gravesend Bay Will Be a Feature.

NEW YORK, April 14.—An ocean race from Montauk Point to Gravesend Bay, by way of Sandy Hook, is one of the features of the annual cruise of the Brooklyn Yacht Club, just announced by Commodore Cook. The annual cruise in July will be from port to port on the Long Island Sound, sailing eastward until Shelter Island is reached. The yachts entered for the ocean race will sail for Montauk Point, where the start will be made.

STRENGTH TESTS THE LATEST FAD

Intercollegiate Team Contest Arranged by Dr. Sargent.

NEW YORK, April 14.—College men throughout the United States have begun to take strength tests for the purpose of evolving the institution which numbers in its ranks the fifty strongest men among American colleges. This competition is unique in intercollegiate rivalry, as athletes do not meet in actual contest of strength. Each university sends to a committee the statistical records of its fifty strongest men and to the college whose athletes make the highest total is awarded the intercollegiate championship.

The tests by which the strength of the men is measured were devised by Dr. Dudley A. Sargent of Harvard. There are several tests which respectively record the strength of the back, the legs, the right grip, the left grip, ability to "dip," to "push up," and to pull up, and finally the strength of the lungs.

At present Columbia holds the championship and expects to increase the total of 65,000 points made by her fifty men last year.

AMATEUR BASEBALL NOTES.

The Noxalls have organized for 1902 and would like to hear from all teams in the 12-year-old class, the Midget Sluggers preferred. For games address Joseph Tombarrott, 4307 Kennerly avenue.

The Porter and Russell Juniors would like to hear from all teams in the 12 and 13-year-old class. Address Will Albrecht, 4228 Juniata street.

The Belts have open dates and would like to hear from the Nashvilles, McCarty and Evans teams. For games address A. Schmidt, 5555 Wells avenue.

Robert Graham, 3839 Finney avenue, would like to back a good team in the 20-year-old class. Will furnish uniforms and expenses to the right team. He can be seen any evening at the above address.

The St. Louis Reds have organized as follows: J. Anderson c, G. Jokerst captain and p, W. Howe ss, J. Chatwers 1b, J. Hughes 2b, B. Hiller 3b, E. Hall cf, Clinton lf, F. Burchill rf. They play in the 11 and 12-year-old class. For games address G. Jokerst, 2918 Pine street.

The Montrose Reds have organized for the season of 1902 with the following lineup: W. Geekie captain and c, W. Farley p, J. Larkin ss, R. Dickson 1b, P. Miles 2b, J. Whalen 3b, W. Reese lf, Leo Meehan cf, Scott rf. They would like to hear from all teams in the 9 and 10-year-old class. For games address W. Geekie, captain, 406 Montrose avenue.

The B. B. and C. C. have organized for the season and would like to hear from all teams in the 16-year-old class. Their lineup is: Charles Ginter captain, S. Downey p, F. Ginter c, W. Downey 1b, T. Ryan 2b, E. Dowd 3b, F. Wheat ss, E. Ginter cf, L. Burns lf, and A. Ginter rf. For games address Charles Ginter, 2027 Eugenia street.

The Commodores have organized for the season with the following players: C. Daly c, Red Carrigan p, W. Divney 1b, F. Musgrove 2b, G. Conley 3b, J. Conley cf, J. O'Donnell lf, T. Coyne ss, and N. Graham rf. They would like to hear from all teams in the 14-year-old class. Address F. Conley, 125 South 14th street.

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KEENE'S STRING WILL RACE HERE

Eastern Magnate Has Engaged Stable for Ten Thoroughbreds.

Racing in St. Louis promises to be the best in its history this year. Horses are coming here daily from all sections of the United States and before the spring meeting opens, on May 3, it is estimated there will be a thousand horses on the grounds.

Saturday last the younger Schorr shipped a dozen of his Oakland campaigners here direct from San Francisco and about another dozen will be sent on from Memphis by his father, making a total of over twenty thoroughbreds in training for this one stable alone.

George C. Bennett has also stated that he will be on hand with most of his formidable contingent and he wants twenty stalls reserved for him. This will be the great battle ground for Schorr and Bennett's 2-year-olds, and each is particularly strong in the juvenile division.

But most important of all is the announcement made by Secretary Hachmeister that the famous turfman and speculator, James R. Keene, will have a string of ten quartered at the Fair Grounds. Keene is one of the main props of the New York Jockey Club and his advent in St. Louis will give a wonderful stimulus to the sport in Missouri.

Keene has not sent any horses West since Domino made his futile attempt to capture the American Derby nine years ago. It is a decided compliment to the local tracks to have this representative eastern horseman take part in running events here, and the fact will add materially to the character of the sport.

Ed Corrigan is another famous horseman who intends to send a part of his large stable here. He has over 50 in training at Churchill Downs, and as many of them are English bred and stake winners, much interest will be attached to their performances. The Fair association is making special preparations to meet this great influx of race horses.

A new paddock and jockeys' observation stand has been built, 6000 car loads of loam has been put on the track and the turns banked and elevated, the grand stand and clubhouse have been cleaned and overhauled and about 50 new stables have been built to accommodate the visiting horsemen.

More money has been spent at the Fair Grounds in the last three months in actual improvement than in the ten years previous.

Inaugural Handicap Fills With Good Ones.

The outlook is full of promise for a grand carnival of racing here beginning May 3 and ending the last day of October. The meeting will open with the Inaugural Handicap, and the following are the acceptances and weights for the same:

Wax Taper	126	Bill Massie	100
Lady Strathmore	112	Sweet Dream	100
Felix Bard	111	Alice Turner	100
Peaceful	110	Andy Williams	99
Ampere	110	Flora Pomona	98
Tayon	110	Nearest	97
Lunar	108	South Breeze	97
Jim Clark	106	Father Wentker	96
Maximus	106	Ethylene	96
Found	105	Bengal	95
Brulare	105	Federalist	95
Ed Austin	104	Kaffir	95
Ida Ledford	103	Schwalbe	95
Odnor	102	Wakita	95
Salve	102	Hainault	93
A. D. Gibson	102	Bridge	93
Nobleman	102	Evening Star	93
Aladdin	102	Miss Thresa	93
Choice	101	Santa Ventura	93
Edgardo	101	Curd Gillock	93

SPALDING'S NEW BASEBALL SCHEME

He Would Establish a Court for Settlement of All Disputes.

NEW YORK, April 14.—A. G. Spalding has devised a new scheme which has just been made public for the control of professional baseball.

After reviewing the history of organized baseball, in which he shows how the sport has been built up almost entirely through the National League, he gives it as his opinion that it will never be possible again to continue the government on the mode in vogue when the National League was the one great power operating under a national agreement to protect all organizations.

Taxation without representation seems to him a future impossibility. In other words, if the minor league clubs pay for protection they will insist upon representation to protect their interests. For that reason he suggests that the various leagues elect delegates to what might be termed a supreme baseball court with a chairman who would have active executive control of the body.

He would have this court settle all disputes between leagues and with players; would have it appoint all the umpires and formulate the playing rules. Territorial rights could be regulated by this body, although Mr. Spalding is disinclined to have it enter in any way into the actual business of the organization, such, for instance, as regulating the salaries of players or controlling methods of procedure upon the part of club officials.

MASPETH TRACK IS NO MORE

Famous Half Mile Course Swept by Fire, Which Destroyed the Grandstand.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Maspeth race track, the half-mile circle that revolutionized racing in this state, has been swept by fire. The grandstand, which seated 4000, the paddock, platforms and hotel were destroyed. In its last days it was known as the Queen's County Park, a picknicking resort.

About seven years ago a syndicate of racing men leased the place and built the half-mile track. Strings of electric lights were placed about the ring and the famous night racing meeting began. Wonderful tales are told by turfgoers of the tricks played there. It is known that in two instances a horse that ran last was placed first by the judges because men in power were betting on that horse. The electric lights neutralized colors so that many errors, unintentional and otherwise, were made in announcing the order in which racers had finished.

Scandal became so great that racing in this state tottered in the balance and finally a law was passed forbidding night racing. The financial loss caused by the fire is small.

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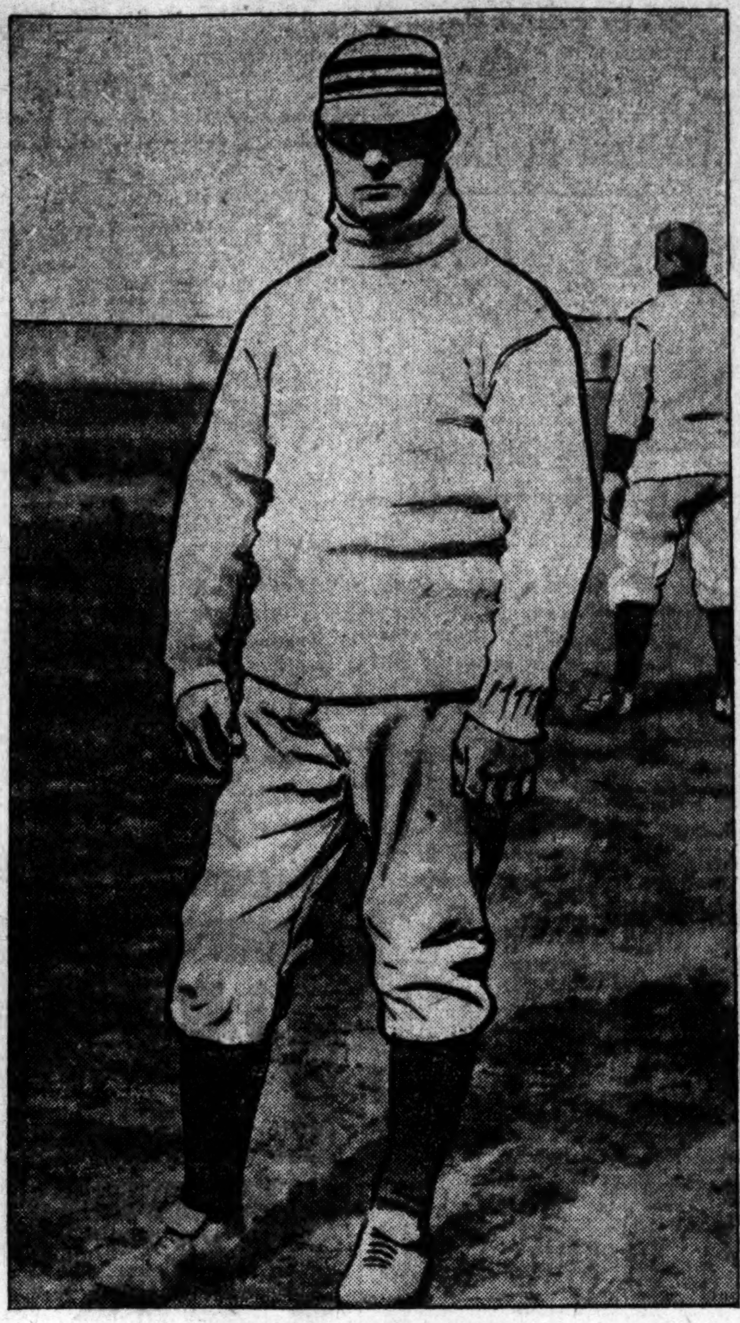

SECOND BASEMAN FARRELL.

Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

SCHEDULE AND RULES FOR POST-DISPATCH LEAGUES

Twenty-Six Games Will Be Played Next Saturday at the Opening of the Race for the School Baseball Championships.

POST-DISPATCH LEAGUE RULES

1. American League rules of 1902 shall govern all contests.
2. Captains of opposing teams must arrange for grounds, umpire and balls in person, not by mail; and send notice to the Post-Dispatch of the location of the grounds chosen.
3. Results of contests must be telephoned the Post-Dispatch immediately following each game by captains of winning teams.
4. No excuse for postponement will be accepted but bad weather. Failure to appear at the grounds means forfeiture of the game.
5. Playing of "ringers" will result in forfeiture of the game by the offending team.
6. Complaints should be mailed to the Sporting Editor, who will turn them over to the committees in charge.

If Dr. Hyatt is kind the baseball season for the Post-Dispatch Leagues will open next Saturday, April 19. The schedule for the opening round of games is printed above and every captain is advised to cut it out and save it to avoid misunderstandings.

The schedule of games calls for 26 contests, so that the day will be a busy one. Every team in both leagues, with the exception of St. Kevin's, will be in the fray and 26 teams will have earned a chance to try for the second round when it is all over.

An odd number of clubs entered the Parochial League, so that no game could be given the St. Kevin's team this week. Next week it will be matched with one of the winners of Saturday games.

Especial attention is called to the rules to govern the games and the arrangements for contests. Captains of opposing teams cannot be too alert in settling details of the game. The grounds should be agreed upon, the umpire chosen and all points of possible dispute settled by Thursday.

As soon as the grounds are chosen the selection should be announced to the Post-Dispatch by telephone.

A staff photographer will photograph as many of the teams as circumstances permit, and the sooner the captains of teams send in the location of the grounds on which their first game will be played, the better their chance of being "snapped."

In agreeing upon grounds, an effort should be made to play on neutral territory. The High School grounds at Forest Park will be open to the school teams for use whenever it is not in use by the High School team. Whenever it is convenient, Forest Park should be selected as, aside from the High School diamond, there are excellent places available there. The West End is dotted with excellent diamonds on the various lots, especially west of Taylor avenue.

Notice Will Bring Out Crowds to Your Game.

Remember, send notice to the Post-Dispatch promptly of the location of the grounds chosen. Many of the scholars interested in the games would like to be present and a publication in the Post-Dispatch of the place where each game will be played will bring out the crowds to your game.

The old question of playing boys who do not belong to the school represented will be met as last season with a forfeiture penalty. Any captain attempting to play "ringers" will have the game forfeited to the opposing team and a repetition of the offense will result in expulsion from the league.

Owing to possibility of changes later on, no attempt is made to arrange for anything but a week to week schedule. When the final league of five teams is selected a full schedule for the series will be printed. For the preliminary rounds, that is to say for three weeks, the schedule of games for Saturdays will appear in the Post-Dispatch each Monday preceding.

Captains are requested to cut out the rules and endeavor to follow them.

Any doubts about schedule, rules or conditions should be referred at once to the sporting editor. Let nothing interfere with the playing off the games as scheduled.

POST-DISPATCH LEAGUE SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY, APRIL NINETEENTH.

PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Blow vs. Charless.
Hodgen vs. Sherman.
Longfellow vs. Froebel.
Garfield vs. Humboldt.
Crow vs. Marquette.
Jackson vs. Elliott.
Dozier vs. Riddick.
Webster vs. Carr.
Pope vs. Lincoln.
Roe vs. Peabody.
Ellardsville vs. Cite Brilliante.
Bryan Hill vs. Penrose.
Arlington vs. Lowell.
Columbia vs. Divall.
Clay vs. O'Fallon.
Wyman vs. John Marshall.
Irving vs. Harrison.
Carr Lane vs. Carroll.
Madison vs. Blair.

PAROCHIAL LEAGUE.

St. Rose vs. St. Barbara.
SS. Mary and Joseph vs. St. Frances de Sales.
St. Patrick's vs. St. Lawrence.
St. Augustine vs. Holy Name.
Visitation vs. Sacred Heart.
St. Bridget's vs. St. Malachy.
St. Teresa vs. St. Liborius.
St. Kevins, a bye.

Failure to keep engagements throws out the whole scheme.

Remember, the first game is an important one. Have your team in shape to do its best and you will be represented in the finals. The number of teams in the league prevents any other arrangement than the one devised from being successfully operated. The plan of last year was too cumbersome and involved much loss of time. With the present arrangements the Post-Dispatch medals will have been won by the time school closes and the presentation will take place during the closing exercises.

Practice means much this week. So, play ball all you can between Monday and Saturday.

ETHELBERT WILL BE TRAINED.

Famous Race Horse Will Be Taken Out of Stud.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Ethelbert, winner of the Brighton Beach cup, at two and a quarter miles, in 1900, and the favorite for the Suburban handicap last year, will be trained again this year.

Last fall Ethelbert was turned out of training and retired to the stud. He improved so much this winter that it was decided to again put him in training, principally for the $25,000 stake.

WOMAN CRITICISES CARDINALS' DRESS

Motley Array of Varied Suits Jarred the Feminine Sense Sunday.

BY ROSE MARION.

Sunday there was a rehearsal at League Park that broke the rule. It was so far out of the ordinary that the guests forgot that they were not looking at a sure-enough "given" by professionals instead of a "try," in which even some of the leading parts were done by amateurs.

True, this rehearsal gave its visitors the advantage of a score book, but the original lineup was deviated from several times. The apparel worn by the players was most motley—it was not a dress rehearsal.

Part of the members of the St. Louis team were decked in last year's visiting suits, some wore the togs they brought from the minor leagues, while others affected a combination. The Indianapolis men were no better in regard to clothes. Their catcher, Teal, looked more like a Turk than any species of baseball man ever seen in St. Louis. How he managed to work under the weight of his clothing augmented by that flaring letter "O" and his peculiar cap, must remain a mystery.

Team Like a Pet Stock Company.

The diamond looked just a little bit lonesome to the fans who knew the Cardinals of last year. It was as if one's pet stock company had come to town with most of its members missing.

True the captain, looking as hopeful as he ever did when St. Louis was a winning team last year, was there. But when you've said that you've said almost everything. Of coourse, one mustn't forget Krueger, who, if he does play ball with his feet, manages to steal bases very nicely, as he did Sunday in the seventh. Neither are you expected to slight Ryan or Wicker. They were Cardinals last year.

Then too, you should feel as if you knew Yerkes, who, though, he came to us when the summer was over, helped us win some games. The pitching he did Sunday was of the kind that gets better the longer it lasts and he deserved applause even if he did look like a comic character in the coat that fits him as it would were it the property of his small brother.

Woman Asked Husband a Hundred Questions.

Even his jumping motions were the same he used last season. But the rest of them—Farrell, Barclay, Hartman, Brashear and Smoot—if you know which is the other, your wisdom is great.

A woman in my neighborhood put her husband through a civil service examination on this subject. She wasn't satisfied with knowing the name of each player; she wanted to know his past history.

The man didn't know all of this, but he tried to reply after this fashion:

"The first man at bat is Farrell. See his black hair. Black as a crow. He played some place around Washington last season."

Definite, wasn't it?

"That left fielder is Barclay. He can run some. They call him Deerfoot," continued the explanatory man.

"Hartman played with St. Louis last summer. I didn't know whether that was so, neither did the other woman. At least she didn't contradict.

"Now there is Smoot. He's not so large as he used to be."

Continuing to read his score card and identify the players the gentleman announced: "And this is Hazelton."

Then his wife and I both rebelled. She audibly; I mentally. 'I think that's Donovan," she asserted. I knew it was. There is only one other man that walks with the air of the Cardinals' captain and he doesn't play baseball. The man's wife didn't ask any more questions.

I noticed that these new men were there when it came to making runs. I believe each one scored at least once.

Then did you notice that hit of Brashear's?

That left-handed pitcher of Indianapolis was far from a "cinch," even when he seem to tire toward the last. His position seemed to make it almost impossible for anyone to steal second, he watched the base so closely.

Of course, the champions may do the giant act Thursday—eat up all the little children. But such a thing is scarcely possible if the main performance lives up to the promise of Sunday's rehearsal.

UMPIRE DEFEATED THE BROWNS

Rank Decisions by Columbus Official Figured in Downfall of McAleer's Men.

COLUMBUS, O., April 14.—Capt. Padden of the St. Louis team and all the members of the club are very indignant over the miserable umpiring work done in the game between the Browns and the Columbus team Sunday.

Rank umpiring gave Columbus one run, deprived St. Louis of one and threw the game to the home team. The visitors protested strongly, but the crowd swarmed on the field and upheld the official.

The worst blunder came in the ninth inning when the Browns came to bat. The score was then 4 to 2, in favor of the home team.

The two Donohue boys, Frank and "Jiggs," singled and Burkett drew a pass. Friel hit to Coggswell, forcing Donohue at the plate, and being himself retired on a double play. With two out, Jones singled, scoring Burkett and F. Donohue.

Jones went out trying to reach second. The play tied the score, but umpire Flick decided that Burkett had not reached the plate when the out was made.

The score:

Innings—										R.	H.	E.
Columbus	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	4	8	1
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	3	12	2

Batteries—Bailey, Coggswell and Fox; Sudhoff, F. Donohue and Sugden and J. Donohue.

FORBES AND REGAN COME TO TERMS

Bantams Will Fight Here May 1 for the Championship.

CHICAGO, April 14.—At a conference held here this morning between Charles Haughton, president of the West End Club of St. Louis, and J. D. Hopkins, it was decided that Forbes and Regan would meet for the bantamweight championship of the world, Thursday, May 1, at the West End Club.

The Attell-Yanger weight question has not been settled yet. Yanger holding out for 122 at 1 p. m. and Attell for 122 at 3 p. m. Both sides are stubborn, but an agreement is expected to be reached tonight.

Abe Attell's youth may result in the declaring off of his match with Terry McGovern, which is to be fought at Louisville May 5, according to schedule and providing the Californian defeats Yanger here on April 24.

Attell is only 19 years old, and the Louisville statutes require a boxer to have attained his majority. The Southern Athletic Club is still plugging the match, however.

Manager McKenna says the fight, if allowed to take place will propably be changed to Derby night, May 3. None of the clubs have settled their engagements definitely for that night, though many matches have been made for the occasion.

It is thought McGovern and Attell would make the best drawing card for that night that could be put on.

President Haughton is still in Chicago concluding arrangements for the Attell-Yanger match, to take place at the West End Club April 24. Haughton wants to make the affair the featherweight championship struggle on the ground that none of the leading lights now called featherweights can make the 122-pound limit. Yanger is said to be able to do it, and if he will make the mark for Attell, the affair will be so announced.

Tuesday the bids for the McGovern-Corbett contest will be opened in Cincinnati. Representatives of the two will meet there, and it is believed that the question of where the question of where this fight will take place will be decided.

The Stag Athletic Club of Covington, of which Frank Kelley is manager and matchmaker, will have in a bid. According to reports, it will be an excellent offer, and the promoters of the club believe that the contest will be awarded it.

It is not likely that there will be more than three bids for the contest. The Southern Club of Louisville will, of course, put in a bid and, in fact, that club will be given preference over any other if its bil anywhere near reasonable. The Hartford (Conn.) Club, too, may be a bidder. Whether any of the California clubs will make an effort to get the match is doubted. Even if a bid from that source should be submitted, it will hardly be considered, as the fighters realize that there is a better chance of getting larger returns in this section of the country than there is in the far West.

April 2 5is the date set for the 10-round bout at Minneapolis between Ole Olson and Eddie Gardner. Olson had an unpleasant experience there once when he went up to meet Young Mowatt. The game was shut down then for a long time.

Tommy Sullivan, the red-topped featherweight, is certain he will dispose of Eddie Santry in Tuesday's contest and if he does will be in a position to demand matches from "Buddy" Ryan and "Kid" Broad. He is especially anxious to get a return match with the latter at something like a better weight than that of their firs meeting.

It was stated yesterday that Jack Root, claimant of the lightweight championship, consented yesterday to meet his old-time opponent, Billy Stift, in the main event of the show in two weeks at the Chicago Athletic Association. It will be the third meeting ofthe men, Root having won once on a foul in seven rounds and again in this city in six rounds.

PASTIME PARK COURSING.

Laughing Water and Pride of the Border Won Stakes.

G. Lacy Crawford's speedy greyhound, Laughing Water, by St. Clair-Maid of Honor, captured the Owners' stake at the Pastime Park coursing grounds Sunday. She had a comparatively easy victory and proved once more that she is about the fastest dog in training around St. Louis.

The runner-up was Tiburon, a California dog, owned by Ralph Orthwein. Much disappointment was felt by the withdrawing of Sisquoc, the Pacific coast champion, especially as it was announced that he would be a sure starter. The value of the stake to the winner was about 100.

One of the largest crowds of the season was present and it was an ideal day for the sport. The Wild West performance was hardly up to the usual standard and occupied too much of the time that should have been devoted to the regular program. As a permanent feature it is not a success.

J. B. Sheridan's Kingstown ran a sparkling course with the mighty Warburton, taking the latter into camp in splendid style. Kingstown, with his long, sweeping stride, would undoubtedly have been a close contender for the stake with Laughing Water, but that he stepped in a hole and got a very severe fall, thus killing his chances.

The stake for all-aged greyhounds was won by W. Turner's Pride of the Border with Note Teller the runner-up. Pride of the Border is a splendid dog, was trained perfectly and won without any serious opposition.

Yesterday's Baseball Results.

At St. Joseph—Pittsburg, 4; St. Joseph, 0.
At Terre Haute—Chicago Nationals, 6; Terre Haute, 5.
At Evansville—Evansville, 10; Chattanooga, 2.
At Lebanon—Lebanon, 12; Puesers, 5.
At Jefferson City—Diels, 7; Jefferson City, 3.
At Kansas City—Chicago American, 6; Kansas City, 4.
At Peoria—Remnants, 4; Peoria, 1.
At Cincinnati—Milwaukee, 6; Cincinnati, 4.
At New Orleans—Cleveland, 5; New Orleans, 4.

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"Verde Grande" Will Sell at $25.00 Per Share Until Night of April 15th.

Owing to the fact that four Directors of this Company are now in Mexico and we failed to have a quorum at the last regular monthly meeting, April 10th, it has been decided to withdraw the above proposition from the public, pending the Board's confirmation at its next regular meeting, May 8th.

The Managing Directors, however, have decided to cut the allotment to 2500 shares at $100.00 per share, and in event the Stock is placed on the market for that purpose, the Books of the Company will be open one day.

Due notice will be given in the St. Louis Sunday editions, May 11th, in event the plan is adopted. The $25.00 allotment will be withdrawn April 15th.

We reserve the right to charge at the rate of $100.00 per share on any outstanding agency contracts after April 15th, 1902.

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STRANGE CASE OF MRS. DENNIS

WOMAN WHOSE HEAD WAS CRUSHED TEMPORARILY RECOVERS.

HER RATIONALITY EXPLAINED

Noted Alienist Gives His Opinion as to the Cause of the Assault Victim's Dementia.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—For days, and even weeks, after the December morning when the people of Washington were shocked by the news of the now famous tragedy in which Mrs. Ada Gilbert Dennis played the sad part of the victim, public interest centered in the work of the detectives, who were straining every nerve in their efforts to bring to justice the mysterious and seemingly motiveless assailant of the defenseless woman. The interest was thus centered in the apprehension and punishment of the guilty person because there seemed to be no possibility that the victim would survive the frightful wounds she received as she lay asleep in her bed. Even the surgeons, whose skill saved her from immediate death, wondered, as the days went by, that she lingered so long.

Her skull had been fractured in the most remarkable manner, the break extending from the brow beneath the skull to the base, and at the anterior termination the frontal bone had been shattered. Some of the splinters of the skull were depressed upon the outer tissue of the brain, lacerating it in such a way that the surgeons, who lifted the splinters from their resting place, feared that it would never mend.

Hope Had Been Abandoned.

The wounds produced a condition of total unconsciousness, from which there seemed no possibility of recovery, and the death of the victim at any hour would have produced no surprise. The police, hearing the reports of the attendants, gave up hope that Mrs. Dennis would ever speak and assist them by giving some information concerning the crime.

Under these conditions, therefore, it was not strange that when the patient one day suddenly recovered consciousness and seemed to have taken a new lease on life, the center of interest should have as suddenly changed from the work of the police to the work of the surgeons who had Mrs. Dennis in hand. These developments in the case, as change after change occurred with surprising rapidity, were remarkable from the viewpoint of the medical and surgical profession, and attracted a great deal of attention throughout the country. At times there seemed a possibility of complete recovery, and then the hopes were dashed by the sudden sinking spells in which the life of the patient almost went out on more than one occasion. At last Mrs. Dennis lapsed into a condition of apparently complete insanity, caused by a paralytic stroke and the injury to the brain, and she is now in that condition in spite of the seemingly intelligent answers she gave to some questions asked her a few days since at the Garfield Memorial Hospital.

Dr. Richardson's Opinion.

Medical and surgical specialists and experts throughout the country have watched the case with interest, and are familiar with the course of its development. In speaking of it recently Dr. A. B. Richardson, superintendent of St. Elizabeth's Asylum for the Insane, and an expert on insanity, said:

"The case is one of the most remarkable of its kind on record. It is rare for the reason that the causes which have brought about Mrs. Dennis' condition seldom fail to result fatally before the insane conditions developed. I have not seen the patient and have had no opportunity to make an examination, so I cannot say positively, but from all the accounts I have had, I should judge that the case is an absolutely hopeless one. When insanity is produced in that way, and where the injuries are as severe as those which Mrs. Dennis suffered, the patient has little chance, indeed.

"It is evident that Mrs. Dennis' brain was permanently injured by the blows that crushed her skull, and the changing conditions that marked the development of the case were due to the formation of abscesses. Had the distributing matter been completely absorbed in the healing process the paralytic condition would not have resulted in so marked a manner. The paralytic condition is permanent, I believe, and will, of course, be a constant barrier to complete recovery."

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

United States Steel Corporation,
PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 4.
New York, April 1, 1902.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent upon the preferred stock, payable May 15, 1902, at the office of the company, No. 71 Broadway, New York City, to stockholders of record at the close of business April 19, 1902.

The preferred stock transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon, April 19, 1902, until 10 a. m., May 20, 1902.

RICHARD TRIMBLE, Secretary.

STROTHERS JURY BEING SELECTED

TESTIMONY WILL BEGIN IN THE MURDER CASE WEDNESDAY.

DEFENDANT SLEW COOPER

Motion Petitioning Court to Suspend Further Action Overruled by Judge Ryan.

A jury is being impaneled in Judge Ryan's division of the Criminal Court to try William Strothers, negro, on the charge of murder in the first degree.

Strothers is charged with the murder of A. Dean Cooper, the millionaire, who owned a Turkish bath house on Franklin avenue near Grand. On the night of January 21 last while Cooper was asleep in the bathhouse he was killed. The weapon used was a large hammer which was afterwards found in the basement. Some valuable diamonds which adorned Cooper's person were missing. These were found concealed in the basement also. Suspicion fell on Strothers, the only person who was in the house at the time, and he was arrested. For awhile he denied all knowledge of the killing. Under the influence of Chief Desmond's sweating process he admitted that he had slain his employer and had robbed him.

The case was called for trial Monday morning. His attorney, Crittenden Clark, a negro, filed a motion asking the court to suspend further action in the case. Defendant states that he was denied the privilege of appearing before the grandjury and challenging the jurors. The motion was overruled.

The selection of jurors was begun and the taking of testimony will begin Wednesday.

SNOW AND SLEET AND HAIL

Summer Seems a Long Way Off in Colorado and Other Western States.

DENVER, Colo., April 14.—The storm which has prevailed over almost the entire country from this city west and north has caused general delay in railroad traffic. No serious damage is yet reported, but the change from rain to a heavy, wet snow, interspersed with sleet and hail, may have caused suffering to cattle on the open range. Trains have been delayed from one to four or five hours. Indications are that the storm conditions will continue today.

The cellars of the Royal Theater and the Reichsbank are under water.

A house on Gericht strasse collapsed. Some of the occupants were injured.

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BUTLER FORCES TO AID HAWES

THIS IS A RUMOR THAT HAWES DENIES.

SAYS NO TRUCE EXISTS YET.

Dr. Faulkner, B. P. Taaffe and A. C. Stuever Are Said to Have Healed Breech.

Reports of a reconciliation between Harry B. Hawes and Ed Butler were current among politicians of both parties Monday. The purport of the story is that Hawes has agreed to support James J. Butler for renomination for Congress in consideration of the aid of the Butler forces in the election of a city ticket in the fall.

Dr. Faulkner of the police department was mentioned as the diplomat who brought about the truce, and A. C. Stuever, B. P. Taaffe and John R. Butler were credited with being factors in making the agreement.

"I have not been in any meeting or entered into any deal," said Mr. Hawes Monday morning. "I have been asked by many persons about this reported agreement, and have told them all that matters are just as they have been, so far as I am concerned.

"I think the source of the report is the appointment of John R. Butler as a member of the ward organization committee of the Jefferson Club, which will be officially announced in a few days. This has no especial significance, as he has held the same position before, but it has served as the foundation for this rumor.

"I have not seen the elder Butler for two months and a half. No deal is on, so far as I know. The congressional and city elections are a long time in the future and it is too early to talk of deals relating to them."

DR. DOWIE INHERITS $50,000.

One of Elijah's Flock Leaves Him Large Bequest.

CHICAGO, April 14.—By the terms of Frederick Sutton's will, filed for probate in the Cook County court, Dr. John Alexander Dowie, the head of the Zionists, who styles himself Elijah II, is made heir to an estate of $50,000, most of which is in New Zealand, whence his benefactor comes.

Sutton had left all that he had to Dowie, but a few days before his death, concluded to remember his sister and three brothers, who are still in New Zealand. A codicil providing for them was filed with the will.

The Most Careful Tests

Are necessary to determine exactly the needs of the eye. Dr. Bond, expert optician at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, examines the eyes free of charge and guarantees an accurate adjustment when glasses are needed. Steel frames $1 and up; gold $5 and up.

New Pastor for Cook Avenue Church.—The Cook Avenue Presbyterian Church has called Rev. J. Twyman Boyer of Holden, Mo., to the pastorate. Rev. Mr. Boyer has been in the northern conference of the church. The Cook Avenue church belongs to the southern.

Table D'Hote, Six Courses, with Blue Points 50c. The Breitling, 411 North Broadway, upstairs.

MAID OF HONOR FROM ST. LOUIS

SPECIAL TRAIN WILL CARRY CONFEDERATES TO DALLAS.

REUNION LASTS FOUR DAYS

Miss Susanne Roberts of Springfield Will be the Sponsor for Missouri's Large Delegation.

St. Louis will be represented by a special train load of Confederate veterans and sons and Daughters of Confederate veterans at the reunion of the Confederate societies in Dallas, Tex., April 22. The special train will leave St. Louis Sunday, April 20.

In the party will be Comander-in-Chief R. B. Haughton of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans; Gen. Samuel M. Kennard, commander of the Eastern brigade of Missouri, United Confederate Veterans; Capt. Frank Gaiennie, Judge Gantt of the Supreme Court of Missouri, Maj. C. C. Rainwater and Capt. James Bannerman.

All sections of Missouri will be represented at the reunion. Miss Susanne Roberts of Springfield is sponsor for the state, and among the maids of honor are Miss Virginia Lee, Miss Elise Sublette and Miss Margaret Wilkinson of St. Louis.

The complete list of sponsors for the various divisions and states is as follows:

Army of Tennessee, Miss Clara Belle Haldeman, Louisville, Ky.; Transmississippi department, Miss Annie Ione Gaston, Dallas, Tex.; Oklahoma division, U. C. Vs., Miss Anne Block Jamison, Guthrie, O. T.; Alabama division, U. C. Vs., Miss Anne Hobson, Greensboro, Ala.; Mississippi division, U. C. Vs., Miss Mai Scott, Rosedale, Miss.; Arkansas division, U. C. Vs., Miss Elizabeth Conway, Texarkana, Ark.; Indian Territory division, U. C. Vs., Miss Leola Stidham, Eufala, I. T.; Louisiana division, U. C. Vs., Miss Catherine Graham Stafford, Alexandria, La.; West Virginia division, U. C. Vs., Miss Katie Belle Abney, Charleston, W. Va.; Tennessee division, U. C. Vs., Miss Sarah Ruth Frazier, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Missouri division, U. C. Vs., Miss Susanne Roberts, Springfield, Mo.; Texas division, U. C. Vs., Miss Katy Daffan, Ennis, Tex.

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The third annual convention of the Confederated Southern Memorial Association will be held in Dallas, Tex., during the U. C. V. reunion, April 22, 23, 24 and 25.

The opening exercises will consist of a short memorial service in honor of President Davis, in the Episcopal Cathedral, South Ervay street, at 9:30 a. m., Tuesday, April 22. At 2 p. m., sharp, the first business session of the C. S. M. A. will be held in the Auditorium and parlors of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, corner Commerce and Harwood streets.

Headquarters of the Confederation will be the Oriental Hotel, corner Commerce and Akard streets, where officers of the C. S. M. A. will stop.

On the eve of the departure from St. Louis of the United Confederate Veterans' delegates for Dallas, the president of the M. A. E. McLure chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will present them on behalf of the members of that organization with the Southern Cross of Honor. The presentation will take place at the residence of Capt. Frank Gaiennie, 5440 Maple avenue, at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of April 19.

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Y. M. C. A. SCHOOL HAS MEN PUPILS

EARNING POWER INCREASES WITH BRAIN GROWTH.

1902 ENROLLMENT WAS 537

Association School Is One of the Large Educational Institutions of the City.

The report of the educational department of the Young Men's Christian Association, as read by Thomas G. Rutledge, shows the association school is one of the large educational institutions of the city. It was in session from Oct. 7 until April 5.

In 1899 there were less than 200 men enrolled in the classes. In 1900 there were 471 men. In 1901, 522; and in the present year, 537. The class work is conducted at the North Side Branch at 1907 St. Louis avenue, the Central Branch, and the South Side Branch, 1800 South Eighteenth street. Thirty-one different classes were conducted. German, French, Spanish, Latin, English, rhetoric, grammar, arithmetic, algebra, geometry, bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, business correspondence, penmanship, drawing, elocution, public speaking, English literature, trigonometry and commercial law were taught. The largest class was in arithmetic, at the Central Branch, with 78 members. The average attendance at the classes was about four-fifths of the membership, and as a rule members who were absent were detained by night work. Fifty-two different vocations were represented by the men in the various classes.

The ages of the students in the men's classes range from 16 to 50 years.

The effort is to increase, if possible, the earning capacity of the men who desire to study.

Six-sevenths of the boys in this country leave school at 14 years of age, and 90 per cent of the young men are not fitted for their life work. Even of those who finish at the grammar schools only 8 per cent go to college.

A junior department is connected with the school. The evening classes are for working boys. Sixty-six such boys were registered in the classes. They meet three evenings each week, and study arithmetic, grammar, reading, spelling, penmanship and drawing. There is a great opportunity here for some good person to spend money that will bring telling results.

Twenty-one of the most competent instructors that could be secured in the city of St. Louis devoted much of their valuable time during the present year to instructing classes in these various subjects.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra meets regularly every Monday evening for rehearsals, under the management of Prof. Paul Mori.

Special stress has been laid during the present year upon the social features of the association. The regular series of Popular Talks was conducted during the months of January, February and March with good success.

The Forum, the debating club of the association, conducted its regular meetings during the year.

The Art and Camera Club, organized by members of the drawing class, has been gradually interesting more men.

The Spanish Club will hold its meetings on Tuesday evening of each week during the spring and summer.

The Current Topics Club, organized in 1900 by 12 or 13 men of the Central branch for the discussion of current topics, has a membership of 60. The social features of this club are its banquets, once every month. The younger men of the association have formed a Round Table Club.

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GEORGE F. BEEBE SENTENCED.

George F. Beebe, formerly a bookkeeper for the St. Louis Dressed Beef and Provision Co., who is charged with embezzling $2100 from the company, pleaded guilty in Judge Ryan's court Monday morning and was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary. Beebe disappeared after embezzling the money and was captured in Connecticut.

$19.35 Charleston (S. C.) and Return—$19.35—Via Southern Railway April 22d.

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PLATFORM GATE FLEW OPEN.

James Lambert Flew Into Eighth Street and Wants $1250.

James Lambert, aged 28, was riding on a St. Louis Transit Co. car Feb. 22. He was smoking a cigar and leaning against the gate that formed one side of the platform guard. The car swung off Olive street on to Eighth. Lambert alleges he was thrown to the street as the gate flew open and injuries to his knee and hip resulted which are of a permanent nature. He demands that the court award him a verdict of $1250. The court will think about it after hearing testimony.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy for their children.

DAILY MARKET AND FINANCIAL RECORD

CORN ADVANCED; WHEAT DECLINED

GENERAL RAINS IN SOUTHWEST SENT WHEAT DOWN.

CASH CORN WAS HIGHER

Movement Was Light and on Southwest Buying Market Advanced Over One Cent.

The grain markets were unsteady Monday. Wheat opened easy on rain in the Southwest, advanced from ⅜c to ½@⅝c above Saturday on damage reports from Kansas and the strength of corn. The cash demand was good and there was some export buying. May wheat opened at 80¼c and advanced to 80½c, and July opened at 72¼c and touched 73¼c before realizing became so heavy that the advance was checked. May closed with a loss of 1⅛c at 79c bid. July sold down to 71⅝c and closed with a loss of ⅞@1c at 71¾c asked.

Corn was very strong. There was a decrease in the visible of 958,000 bu. Western cash markets were higher and the Southwest was a heavy buyer. The movement was light and there were some large sales of cash corn at St. Louis to go South. Chicago reported the sale of 100,000 bu to go East.

May corn opened at 63c and sold up to 64½c and July opened at 61⅞c and advanced to 63½c, when realizing sent May back to 63⅝c at the close, a gain of 1c. July closed ⅝c up at 62½c.

Liverpool was unsteady. After opening firm with a gain of ½d, wheat eased off, owing to large receipts and prospects of future supply being fully equal to the cash demand. Corn opened ⅜d higher and during the morning gained ⅜d more. Wheat closed ¼d off and corn up ⅜d. Berlin gained ½c and Buda Pesth ⅞c. Antwerp was unchanged and Paris closed ¼c off to ¼c up.

The weather map showed a heavy rainfall in Alabama and Kansas Saturday and Sunday. Rain was falling in southern and southwestern Missouri Monday morning. Temperatures in the winter wheat belt are low for the season, but warmer weather is predicted.

The Kansas crop news was very bad. In many of the best wheat counties the plant is reported to be 50 per cent under last year. From 10 to 20 per cent is being plowed up for corn. Wellington, Kan., reported one-third of the wheat plowed up and it is estimated that the remainder will make less than half a crop. Private wires reported that the rain which fell in Kansas last night was not sufficient to do any good.

St. Louis received 76,153 bu of wheat, compared with 26,828 bu a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth received only 183 cars, 271 less than the same day a year ago. The visible supply decreased 1,799,000 bu. Clearances were 275,000 bu. Receipts of wheat at primary points to day were 306,262 bu, as compared with 501,000 bu same date last year. Shipments 838,376 bu, compared with 285,000 bu same date last year.

The world's wheat shipments last week were 8,062,000 bu, compared with 8,863,000 bu the previous week and 10,166,000 bu a year ago. Wheat on ocean passage increased 168,000 bu.

May wheat opened ⅛c up at 80¼c, sold up to 80½c and fell back to 80⅜c. July opened ⅜@½c off at 72 1-3c, advanced to 73¼c and reacted to 72⅝@72¾c on profit taking. The short interest in May wheat has disappeared. The speculative demand became light and the option dropped down to 79c, which was bid at the close, a loss of 1⅛c. July was irregular. From 72⅝@72¾c the option advanced to 73, receded an ⅛c and advanced to 73⅛c. The buying pressure ceased and the option dropped to 72¼c before there was a rally, which carried the price back to 72⅝c. Then the market turned weak on realizing, declining to 71⅝c and closing with a loss of ⅞@1c at 71¾c asked.

Receipts of corn at primary points today were 162,770 bu, as compared with 278,000 bu same date last year. Shipments, 510,185 bu, compared with 190,000 bu same date last year.

St. Louis received 39,740 bu. of corn, compared with 32,635 a year ago. The world's corn shipments last week were 2,851,000 bu., compared with 3,459,000 bu. the previous week and 3,968,000 bu a year ago. Corn on ocean passage increased 160,000 bu.

The corn futures were strong on the cash demand. May opened ⅝c up at 63c, sold up to 64c, a gain of 1⅜c, and reacted to 63⅞c. July opened with a gain of ⅛c at 61⅞c, sold up to 63c and fell back to 62¾c. The Southwest demand increased and the speculative offerings were light. May sold up to 64⅜c and fell back to 64c, rallied to 64½c and, weakening with wheat, closed with a gain of 1c at 63⅝c. July advanced to 63⅜c, dropped back to 62¾@62⅞c and rallied to 63⅝c. Again the offerings became heavy and the option closed with a gain of only ⅝c at 62½c.

Receipts of oats at primary points today were 344,670 bu, as compared with 338,000 same date yast year. Shipments, 322,267 bu, compared with 159,000 bu same date last year. Trading in oats was light. July opened ⅛c up at 35⅛c and sold down to 35c. May closed ¼c off at 42¾c bid.

CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis were 646 sks and 80 cars local and 3 cars through, compared with 546 sks and 26 cars local and 6 cars through a year ago. The cash market was stronger. No. 2 red sold both sides of the river at 81c and west side at 80½c. No. 2 Turkey hard sold at 75⅝c west side and one car of Nebraska brought 73½c. No. 3 Turkey sold at 75¼c. Twelve thousand bu of No. 2 hard were sold from elevator for export at 1½c over Chicago May.

Receipts of corn were 56 sks and 34 cars and 10 cars local, compared with 254 sks and 24 cars local and 16 cars through a year ago. The cash demand was good and the market was much higher. Five thousand bu of No. 2 mixed sold from levator for southern shipment at 65⅝c. Six housand bu of No. 3 sold late Saturday at 63½c o. b.

No. 3 mixed sold in car lots both sides of the ver at 64c and east side at 63¾c. No. 3 white ought 66½c both sides of the river and 66c vitched east side. No. 3 yellow sold to arrive ast side at 68½c.

Receipts of oats were 31 cars local and 9 cars through, compared with 180 sks and 40 cars local and 9 cars through a year ago. The cash market was strong. No. 2 mixed sold f. o. b. west side at 44c. No. 3 brought 43⅜c west side. No. 2 white brought 45½c east side and was worth 46c west side. No. 3 sold both sides of the river at 46c and west side at 45c and 45½c. No. 4 brought 44c to 45c west side.

Rye and Barley.

Rye—Receipts at St. Louis, 110 bu; shipments, 1570 bu; market firm; No. 2 worth 58c.

Barley—Receipts, 1000; shipments, none; market nominally at 57@66½c.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Receipts, 4720 pigs; shipments, 1100. Zinc nd spelter—Receipts, 6590 slabs; shipments, 5970 labs.

Lead—Market steady; soft Missouri, $3.97½; and hemical hard at $4; $4.05 for desilverized.

Spelter—Market steady at $4.25 asked.

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	Today.	Sat'day.	Year ago
Wheat	410,363	541,691	1,319,698
orn	330,120	342,733	376,641
ats	[illegible]8,007	128,608	36,397
ye	82,[illegible]	82,429	2,802
arley	11,772	11,772	407
o. 2 red wheat	97,281	102,282	979,598
o. 2 hard	296,402	364,746	52,113
o. 2 mixed corn	200,746	206,061	317,113
o. 2 white	9,361	11,758	15,204
o. 2 mixed oats	66,588	66,588	24,825
No. 2 white	5,159	5,159	1,233
No. 2 rye	71,399	71,400	297
No. 2 yellow corn	81,658	82,458	......

Western Movements of Grain.

	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
St. Louis	76,153	15,156	37,740	46,950
Chicago	24,050	415,326	71,250	380,3[illegible]5
oledo	7,000	8,000	14,000	24,550
etroit	4,000	......	2,000	......
nsas City	20,000	16,800	24,000	58,000
waukee	9,600	85,600	1,900	9,100
neapolis	151,380	62,560	9,880	......
	14,078	239,175	......	400

, FLOUR AND PROVISIONS.

HAY AND FEED.

Receipts, 480 tons local, and 125 tons shipments, 325 tons. Receipts large and market quiet and easy on No. 2 timothy and choice mixed good No. 1, and choice timothy, firm.

Timothy, $14.50@15 for choice, $13@14.50 for No. 1, $12@13 for No. 2; clover mixed, $10@13; clover, No. 1, $11.50@12; No. 2, $10@11; prairie, $13.50 for choice and No. 1 and $12 for No. 2; low grades, $10@10.50; alfalfa, $13@14.

BRAN—At mill, 86@87c in large and 88@89c in small sacks.

SHIPSTUFFS—Steady at $1.

STRAW—Wheat, $4@4.50; rye, $5; oats, $4@4.50.

FLOUR.

Patents, per barrel	$3 60@3 80
Straights	3 45@3 50
Extra fancy	3 30@3 40
Clears	2 90@3 00
Low and medium grades	2 65@3 00
Pearl meal, grits and hominy	3 41
Cornmeal	3 16
Rye flour	3 15@3 40
Spring wheat patents, in jute	3 50@3 60
Hard wheat flour—	
Patents in jute	3 05@3 25
Straights	3 00@3 25
Clears	2 75@3 00

PROVISIONS.

Quotations given here are for lots in a jobbing way on the exchange. On orders, much higher.

PORK—Market higher; new standard, $17.50 per bbl and $16.50 for old.

LARD—In a jobbing way, choice steam steady $9.50.

DRY SALT MEAT—Boxed, in a jobbing way: Extra short, 9¼c; clear ribs, 9⅛c; short clear, 9⅜c; bellies, 9⅝@9⅞c; standard backs, 9⅜c; fat backs, 8¾c; plates, 8c.

BACON—In a jobbing way: Extra short, 10⅛c; clear ribs, 10¼c; short clear, 10¼c; standard backs, 10½c; fat backs, 9⅜c; breakfast bacon, 11½@13½c.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—Small, 10½@11c; California, 7@7½c; New York shoulders, 7½c.

GREASE—Country: Yellow, 4½c; white, 4⅝c; brown, 3⅞c; packers' white, 6¾@7c; brown, 4⅞@5c; yellow, 5⅛@5¼c; oleostearine, 10⅝c. Country lard, 8@9c.

DRIED BEEF—Sets, 12@12½c; insides, 13@13½c; outsides, 10½@11c; knuckles, 12@13c.

TALLOW—Country: No. 1, 6⅜c; No. 2, 5¼@5½c; cake, 6⅝c; packers, 7¼c.

BEEF—Plate, $11 per bbl; mess, $10.50; Fulton market, $11.50.

On the Street.

FRUITS.

COCOANUTS—In a small way, $2.75 per 100, selling by dealers at $20@22.50 per 1000.

BANANAS—On orders, $1@2 per bunch.

LEMONS—California, on track, $2.25@3; new Sicily, in jobbing way, $3.25@3.50; dealers charge 25@35c more.

GRAPE FRUIT—Jamaica, $4.50@5.50 per box.

PEARS—California, seckle, $1.50@1.60 per 20-lb

PINEAPPLES—Cuba and Florida at $4.25@4.50 per ½-bu crate.

APPLES—Ben Davis, $3@3.25 per bbl for No. 1; No. 2, $2.25@2.40.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, refrigerator stock, 15@20c per quart; Texas, $2@3 per crate; Louisiana, $2.25@2.50; Alabama, $2.50@3.50.

ORANGES—California fancy navels, $3.50@4.00 per crate; choice, $3.15@3.25; seedlings, choice to fancy, $3@3.25.

VEGETABLES.

BEETS—New Orleans, 35@45c per doz bunches; northern, $2@2.50 per bbl.

MUSTARD—New Orleans, $2.50@3 per barrel; 20@25c per dozen bunches.

STRING BEANS—Florida, round green, $2@2.25 per crate for choice; wax, $2.50 per bu.

PEPPERS—Cuban, $1@1.50 per crate.

CARROTS—Northern, $1@1.50 per bbl; New Orleans, 30@35c per dozen bunches.

RHUBARB—Illinois hothouse, 10@20c per bunch.

EGG PLANT—Cuban, $4@5 per fancy crate.

CELERY—California, $2@2.25 per crate; 45@50c per bunch.

CAULIFLOWER—Home-grown, $2@3 per bu crate.

ONIONS—Choice red, $1.35@1.40 per bu; white, $1.40@1.50; yellow, $1.25.

TURNIPS—Northern, $1@1.50 per bbl; New Orleans, 30@40c per doz bunches.

GREEN ONIONS—Homegrown, 5@8c per dozen bunches.

TOMATOES—Florida, $2@2.75 per 6-basket; Cuban, $1.50@2; Mexican, $2.25@2.50.

POTATOES—On track: Choice, 86@87c per bu; fair to good, 83@85c; Wisconsin, Burbanks, 81@83c; ordinary to fair white, 75@80c; new Cuban, $5 per bbl; Bermuda, $7@8; Florida, $3 per bu.

GUMBO—Cuban, $1@2 per 6-basket crate.

ASPARAGUS—Home-grown, $1@1.25 per dozen bunches.

SPINACH—Home-grown, 25@30c per doz bunches.

SAUERKRAUT—Small lots, $2@2.25 per ½ bu; $3.75@4 per bbl.

SHALLOTS—New Orleans, 25@30c per doz bunches.

GREEN PEAS—Florida, $2@2.25 per crate; Louisiana, $2 per 2-3 crate; Texas, $1.50@2 per bushel.

RADISHES—Shipped, 30@40c per dozen bunches; home-grown, 10@15c.

KALE—Arkansas, $1.25@1.50 per barrel; home-grown, 30@40c per bu box.

EGG PLANT—Florida, $2.50@3 per crate; Cuban, $1.50@2.

PARSLEY—New Orleans, 20@25c per doz bunches; home-grown, 10@15c.

CUCUMBERS—New Orleans, $1@1.25 per doz; Boston hothouse, $1@1.25 per doz.

SWEET POTATOES—Eating varieties, $2.75@3.25 for yellow, $3.50@4 for Jerseys.

OYSTER PLANT—Home-grown, 40@50c per doz bunches.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, 50@60c per bu; Endive, New Orleans, $2.50@3.50 per bbl.

SQUASH—Cuban, 75c@$1 per crate.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown, $1@2.50 per bbl, according to size.

PARSNIPS—Northern, $1.25@1.50 per bbl.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, $18@20 per ton; red, $1.50@2 per 100 lbs; new Texas, 2c per lb.

RUTABAGAS—Selling at 40@50c per bu delivered.

EGGS.

Receipts, 1972 cases local and 1699 through; shipments, 3765 cases. Near-by higher at 14½c, and southern 1c less, loss off, cases returned.

BUTTER.

Creamery—		Packed	17 @19
Extras	31	Dairy—	
Firsts	26½@27	Extra	24½@25
Seconds	24 @25	Firsts	21 @22
Country—		Ladle packed—	
Choice roll	20	Firsts	20 @21
Poor to fair	18 @19	Extra	22 @23

CHEESE—Jobbing—Twins at 13¾c; single, 14c; dairies, 13¾c; Y. A., 13¾c; long horns, 13¾c; New York, large, 12½c; do small, 13c; limburger, 13½@14c; Swiss, choice, 15c; No. 2, 12½@13c; brick, 14½c.

VEAL AND POULTRY.

LIVE POULTRY—Roosters, 5@5½c; geese, 4@5c; ducks, 10c; pigeons, $1@1.25 per doz; chickens, mixed, 10c; turkeys, 12c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Chickens: Roosters, 5@8c; ducks, 10½@11c; mixed chickens, 10½@11c; geese, 5@6c; turkeys, 13c.

FRESH FISH—Sunfish, 2½c; crappie, 4½@6c; bass, 9@11c; dressed cat, 8½c; spoonbill cat, 7c; bullheads, 4@7c; buffalo, 3@5c; German carp, 2@4c; white perch, 3½c.

FROGS LEGS—Large, $1.50@2 per doz; medium, $1.25; small, 50c.

VEALS—Fancy, 4½@5c; heretics, 2½@3½c.

SHEEP—3@4c; fancy spring lambs, 5@8c; yearlings, 4½@5c; bucks, 2½@3c per lb.

JACKSNIPE—Per doz, $1.25@1.50; sandpipers, 25c per doz.

NUTS.

PEANUTS—Farmers' stock, red, 1½@2c per lb; white, 2@2½c.

HICKORY NUTS—Large, 30c per bu; shellbark, 50c.

PECANS—Western, 7½@8c.

WOOL.

Missouri and Illinois—Combing and clothing, 17½c; medium clothing, 16½c; braid and low, 16½c; slight burry, 13½@14c; hard burry, 10½@11c; light fine, 13@13½c; heavy fine, 11c. Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota—Medium, 16c; light fine, 12½@13c; heavy fine, 10@11c. Kansas, Nebraska, Dakota and Western—Medium, 15@16c; light fine, 13c; heavy fine, 10@11c. Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma—Medium, 15@15½c; coarse and low, 14c; light fine, 12½@13c; heavy fine, 10@11c. Arkansas and Southern—Twelve months, 15½c; lamb, 15c; burry, 12c; hard burry, 9c. Tub-washed—No. 1, 24c; No. 2, 21@23c; burry, 14@16c.

FURS—Raccoon—No. 1 large, 80c; No. 1 medium, 60c; do small and No. 2, 40c; No. 3, 25c; No. 4, 10c. Mink—No. 1 large, $1.80; No. 1 medium, 90c; do small and No. 2, 60c; No. 3, 30c; No. 4, 15c. Skunk—Prime, as to size: Black large, 90c; black medium, 70c; short stripe, 60c; narrow stripe, 30@40c; broad stripe, 15c; Texas, 30@40c; blue or unprime, 15@30c. Wildcat, 15@20c. Civet cat, 10@15c. Badger, 5@25c. House cat, 10c. Muskrat, 10@15c. Bear, $1@12. Beaver, $1@6. Opossum—No. 1 large, 35c; No. 1 medium, 20c; No. 2, 10c; trashy worthless. Red fox—No. 1 large, $1.50; No. 1 medium, $1.25; No. 2, 75c; No. 3, 50c; No. 4, 15@25c. Gray fox—No. 1 large, 80c; No. 1 medium, 50c; No. 2, 40c; No. 3, 20c; No. 4, 10c; open, 10@20 per cent less. Otter—No. 1 large, $8.50; No. 1 medium, $6.50; No. 2, $5.50; No. 3, $3; No. 4, $1.50. Wolf—Prairie, 30c@$1; timber, 50c@1.50. Extreme southern skins 15 per cent less and northern 15@25 per cent more.

HIDES—Dry flint—Texas, heavy, 14c; average, 13c; light, 11c; fallen, 12½c; Arkansas, 12c; selected No. 1, 13c; No. 2, 11c; dry salted, 10½c; selected No. 1, 10¾c; No. 2, 9¾c. Green salted—Round, 6¾c; selected No. 1, 7¼c; No. 2, 6¼c; uncured, ¼@1c pound less.

LIVESTOCK.

National Stockyards.

NATIVE CATTLE—Receipts, 1400; market for steers, butcher stuff and canners steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
26 beef steers	1223	$6 50
3 beef steers	1123	6 00
1 beef steer	1010	5 60
33 beef steers	842	5 15
21 butcher heifers	731	6 25
60 butcher heifers	668	6 00
19 butcher heifers	581	5 75
5 butcher heifers	640	5 50
1 native cow	1130	5 75
4 native cows	1100	5 00
1 butcher bull	1400	4 50
1 butcher bull	810	4 25
1 butcher bull	1100	4 00
2 butcher bulls	1070	3 75
5 native mixed	856	6 00
7 native mixed	970	4 50

TEXAS CATTLE—Receipts, 1400; market strong to 10c higher.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
23 Texas steers	1100	$6 40
40 Texas steers	1173	6 25
32 Texas steers	1171	6 25
85 Texas steers	1142	6 25
90 Texas steers	979	6 30
154 Texas steers	1079	6 20
41 Texas steers	1049	6 00
110 Texas steers	1069	6 00
184 Texas steers	978	5 95
44 Texas steers	1006	5 95
25 Texas steers	884	5 60
22 Texas steers	935	5 50
17 Texas steers	787	4 75
11 Texas steers	770	4 75
1 Texas cow	760	4 85
1 Texas cow	1200	4 50
1 Texas cow	1110	4 50
1 Texas bull	1210	4 75
54 Texas bulls	1125	4 40
20 Texas bulls	1150	4 25
3 Texas bulls	713	4 25
3 stags	1040	4 75

HOGS—Receipts, 1500; market steady.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
6	283	$7 25	55	190	$7 20
80	191	7 15	6	258	7 15
20	193	7 15	73	212	7 05
52	186	7 00	82	176	7 00
41	190	7 00	10	145	7 00
14	191	6 90	7	145	6 90
15	155	6 90	8	145	6 75
40	134	6 35	26	116	6 40
21	110	6 80	37	103	6 30

SHEEP—Receipts, 200; market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
101 native mixed sheep	98	$6 00
44 native mixed sheep	89	5 75
43 native mixed sheep	89	5 25
2 bucks	155	4 25
1 buck	200	4 25

Horses and mules—Receipts, 800. The horse market opened today with an average supply for Monday, no change in values. Demand the strongest for Boston chunks, drafters and driving horses of all kinds. Not much activity shown in southern demand; the small and commoner kinds not as much sought for as a month ago.

HORSE QUOTATIONS.

Heavy draft—	
Common to good	$120 00@130 00
Choice to extra	160 00@185 00
Chunks—	
1150 to 1350 pounds, fair to good	65 00@ 80 00
Good to choice	85 00@110 00
Coach horses and cobs—	
Fair to good	140 00@175 00
Choice to extra	200 00@500 00
Horses for the South—	
Small, light drivers, fair to good	30 00@ 45 00
Choice to extra	50 00@ 70 00
Southern drivers, large	85 00@125 00
Export chunks—	
1200 to 1500 pounds, plain to good	75 00@ 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00@120 00
Business drivers—	
Fair to good	85 00@110 00
Choice to extra	125 00@150 00
Saddlers for southern use—	
Fair to good	75 00@ 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00@135 00
Fancy gaited and New York saddlers	150 00@800 00
Inferior horses—	
Common, small plugs	20 00@ 30 00
Heavy work plugs	40 00@ 60 00

MULE QUOTATIONS.

MULES—The mule market opened quiet; moderate receipts; values on a steady and firm basis.

(For broke mules, 4 to 7 years old.)

14 hands, extreme range	$ 50 00@ 70 00
14 hands, bulk of sales	50 00@ 60 00
14½ hands, extreme range	55 00@ 80 00
14½ hands, bulk of sales	55 00@ 65 00
15 hands, extreme range	75 00@110 00
15 hands, bulk of sales	75 00@ 90 00
15½ hands, extreme range	90 00@125 00
15½ hands, bulk of sales	95 00@105 00
16 to 16½ hands, extreme range	120 00@160 00
16 to 16½ hands, bulk of sales	125 00@140 00

Union Stockyards.

HOGS—Market opened steady; closed 5c lower but very active at decline. Receipts fair.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price	No.	Av.	Price.
57	232	$7 25	63	161	$7 00
64	278	7 25	20	155	7 00
58	229	7 25	17	165	7 00
57	250	7 25	26	152	6 90
58	248	7 25	31	142	6 85
57	225	7 20	88	164	6 80
50	198	7 20	49	151	6 80
94	180	7 20	19	119	6 15
38	165	7 12½	31	102	6 05
21	153	7 10	14	187	7 10
117	159	7 10	14	187	7 10

CATTLE SALES.

	Av.	Price.
1 bull	2050	$4 65
7 stockers	660	3 50
4 steers and heifers	817	6 00
4 steers and heifers	1270	5 25
11 sausage cows	980	2 25
12 heifers	600	5 25
1 cow	1180	5 00
3 steers	1060	6 00
1 bull	1270	3 85
3 yearlings	346	4 00
9 mixed	605	4 50
4 bulls	1220	3 85
5 cows	1020	4 85
4 cows and calves, each		44 00

CATTLE—Market strong on good.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
1 bull	1320	$4 25
8 cows	740	3 25
4 bulls	670	3 62½
7 heretics	290	4 50
2 heretics	305	4 00
12 mixed	430	4 25
8 yearlings	390	3 50
5 mixed	696	3 75
2 bulls	800	2 65
4 dairy cows	910	4 25
2 dairy cows	1125	5 25
4 dairy cows	1110	4 75
4 dairy cows	1117	4 75
2 dairy cows	1045	4 75
3 dairy cows	1066	4 85
7 s. w. mixed	780	3 00
9 cows	1010	4 30
4 cows	1100	4 50
7 cows	1010	3 60
12 cows and calves, each		43 00
4 cows and calves, each		35 00
2 cows and calves, each		41 00
3 cows and calves, each		34 66 2-3
6 cows and calves, each		31 50

GRAIN MARKET BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Corn had something of a runaway market at the opening today. Shorts feared much higher prices and there was a heavy investment demand that led to spirited bidding. Offerings, however, were very heavy, and on the strength of very light receipts and strongly bullish Southwestern situation, buyers had to pay much higher prices. Cables were strongly responsive to the local bulge Saturday and St. Louis was again advancing rapidly.

May corn opened ⅛c higher to ¼c lower at 61⅝ to 61⅞ on the easy wheat market, but within a few moments shot up 1⅝c to 63¼c. Trading was excited, though not heavy, because of the scarcity of the article. Gradually the erratic bidding subsided and May slipped back to 62⅝c, though the pit still showed a tense and nervous feeling. Other deliveries were higher, but not to the extent of May. Receipts, 55 cars.

May wheat opened ⅛c to ⅜c lower at 72⅝c to 73c on unresponsive cables and general, though not heavy, rains in the Southwest. The early trade was fair and largely of the selling sort by locals, though commission houses were on both sides of the market. A good support, however, soon sprang up, and with the aid of the corn strength, May wheat advanced to 73½c. Later there was a recession to 73, where the market steadied. Receipts, 25 cars, two contract; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 183 cars, a total for the three points of 208 against 287 last week, and 400 a year ago. World's shipments were 8,062,000 bu, compared to 10,166,000 last year. The amount of breadstuffs on passage decreased 576,000 bu.

Oats were in fair demand early and offerings were light. Corn strength influenced a slight upturn and May oats, which opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 42 to 42⅛c, sold to 42½c. Receiving houses and commission men were the buyers. As corn eased from its early bulge, May oats eased back to a steady feeling around 42¼c. Receipts, 151 cars.

Provisions showed good strength after an easy opening. Hogs were only steady, but there was a good demand for products from brokers, evidently a support by packers, and prices advanced well. Corn strength also had a stimulating effect. May pork opened 2½c lower at $16.75 and advanced to $16.92½. May lard a shade lower at $9.75 and sold to $9.80 and May ribs unchanged at $9.07½, and sold at $9.12½.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Close: Wheat—April, 72c; May, 72¾c; July, 73¼c; Sept., [illegible] Dec., 74¼c. Corn—April, 62c; May, 62¼c; July, 61⅛@62c; Sept., 61⅛c; Dec., 48⅜c. Oats—April, 42¼c; May, 42¼c; July, 35c; new July, 36¼@36⅜c; Sept., 30@30⅛c; new Sept., 31⅜c; Dec., 30½c; new Dec., 32¼c. Pork—April, $16.80; May, $16.82½; July, $17.02½; Sept., $17.05. Lard—April, $9.72½; May, $9.85; Sept., $9.95; July, $9.85. Ribs—April, $9.10; May, $9.12½; July, $9.25@9.27½; Sept., $9.35. Flax—Cash N. W., $1.76; S. W., $1.65½; May, $1.67; Sept., $1.35. Rye—May, 55½c; July, 56c. Barley—Cash, 61@67c. Timothy—April $6.85@6.90. Clover—Cash, $7.90.

PEORIA, April 14.—Corn higher; No. 3, 63c. Oats higher; No. 2 white, 44c, billed through. Whisky on the basis of $1.30 for finished goods.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red, 80@81¼c; No. 3 red, 79@80c; No. 2 hard winter, 74½@75½c; No. 3 hard winter, 74@75c; No. 1 northern spring, 74@75c; No. 2 northern spring, 73¼@73½c; No. 3 spring, 68@73c. Corn—No. 3, 61@62c. Oats—No. 2, 42½@43c; No. 3, 42@42½c.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Wheat—Receipts, 114,075 bu; opened easier on fine weather, but soon rallied with the corn advance, later easing off again. May, 78⅝@79½c; July, 78⅞@79½c; Sept., 78¾@78⅞c.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Poultry—Alive unsettled; dressed slow; chickens, 13½@14c; fowls, 12@12½c; turkeys, 11½@12½c.

New York Cotton Futures.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Cotton futures opened steady; April, 9.05c; May, 9.07c; June, 9.00c; July, 9.06c; Aug., 8.83c; Sept., 8.40c; Oct., 8.20c; Nov., 8.09c; Dec. and Jan., 8.10c.

Visible Grain Supply.

Wheat, 46,611,000 bu, compared with 48,410,000 bu a week ago. A decrease of 1,799,000 bu. A year ago the supply was 51,873,000 bu.

Corn, 7,550,000 bu, compared with 8,508,000 bu the previous week. A decrease of 958,000 bu. A year ago the supply was 22,019,000 bu.

Oats, 3,054,000 bu, compared with 3,300,000 bu a week ago, a decrease of 246,000 bu. The supply a year ago was 11,371,000 bu.

BANK STOCKS AGAIN STRONG

BANK OF COMMERCE AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL HIGHER.

THIRD NATIONAL STRONGER

Good Demand for Granite-Bi-Metallic—Transit Again Sluggish and Bonds Firm.

Reported daily by the Wasserman-Rosenberg Bond & Stock Co.

Record prices for many St. Louis bank and trust company stocks continue to be established almost daily. There is apparently no limit to the buying of the high-grade issues and there is every indication that the activity will continue.

National Bank of Commerce stock was the chief feature again today on the St. Louis Stock Exchange, its upward movement continuing almost uninterrupted. It becomes scarcer as the prices advance.

At the first call, sales were made at $347, $348, $348.50 and $349, the latter just $6 above the best bid for it on Saturday last. There was a small lot offered at $349.

Mechanics' National also took an upshoot to $285, contrasted with $281 last week and evidence that the market is bare of this stock was afforded by the lack of selling offers.

This state of affairs also obtained for Third National, which has recently been steadily hardening on the exceptional buying inquiry which shows no breakoff. Third rose $2.50 to $257.50, with a few small offerings at $2.59.

A sale of Boatmen's Bank stock at $217 completed the first session bank stock transactions. The demand for Fourth National at $292.50 was good. It was offered at $299.

As usual, there were both strong and weak spots among the trust stocks. Of the latter, Germania was most prominent, declining $1 to $203.50, as against $204.50 Saturday. Sales were 118 shares in all and at the close, $203.50 was the best bid. Fourth street had it that, while there have been no hitches to the merger with the Colonial, certain details, not wholly of minor importance, remain unsettled.

As to Colonial Trust, it maintained its price of Saturday, $226.50, where one lot of 25 shares was taken and that price offered for more.

A small lot of Title Guaranty Trust sold at $137, and Mercantile Trust, new and old stocks, were bought at $418.50 and $417.50, respectively.

Of American Central Trust, 80 shares sold at $177.50 at the first session.

Reputed favorable reports on Granite Bimetallic Mining, and a buying inquiry at $2.67½ resulted in the exchange of 1600 shares at that figure, with sellers at $2.70 at the close.

The market for tractions was not interesting. St. Louis Transit sold from $31 to $30.75 in small lots, and the preferred United Railways brought $84 for five shares, with $83.75 bid and $84.25 asked.

At $88.87½ $8000 worth of United Railway 4s sold, and more could have been obtained at $89, general bids being at $88.75.

A sale of a five-share lot of American Central Insurance at $235 was the only event of import among the industrial list.

FIRST CALL—QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American Central Trust	$177 50	$178 00
Colonial Trust	226 50	227 00
Germania Trust	203 50	....
Mercantile Trust, old	417 50	418 00
Mercantile Trust, new	418 00	418 50
Mississippi Valley Trust	440 00	445 00
Missouri Trust	125 50	127 00
Title-Guaranty Trust	136 00	138 00
Union Trust	....	464 00
Boatmen's	216 50	217 00
National Bank of Commerce	348 00	349 00
Continental National	266 00	....
Mechanics' National	285 00	....
Merchants'-Laclede National	257 00	....
State National	....	210 00
Third National	257 50	259 00
St. Louis Transit	30 75	30 87½
United Railways pfd.	83 75	84 25
United Railways 4s	88 75	89 00
Union Depot R. R. 6s (long)	120 50	....
Kinloch Telephone Co. 6s	108 00	....
Mo. Edison Elec. Light Co. pfd	....	44 50
do 5s	94 50	95 00
American Central Ins. Co.	235 00	237 00
Ely Walker Dry Goods Co. pfd	....	130 00
Simmons Hardware Co. 1st pfd	....	163 00
do 2d pfd	....	163 00
Granite-Bimetallic	2 65	2 70

SALES.

United Railways 4s, 5000 and 3000 at $88.87½ do pfd, 5 at $84.

St. Louis Transit, 100 at $31.50, and 10 at $30.87½, and 50 and 5 at $30.75.

American Central Insurance, 5 at $235.

Granite-Bimetallic Mining, 800, 100, 100, 400 and 200 at $2.67½.

American Central Trust, 10, 15, 20, 10 and 25 at $177.50.

Boatmen's Bank, 25 at $217.

Central Trust, 25 at $226.50.

Germania Trust, 10, 10, 10 and 10 at $204.25; 10, 3 and 10 at $204, 15 at $203.87½, 20 at $203.75 and 20 at $203.50.

Mercantile Trust (new), 25 at $418.50.

do old, 25 at $417.50.

National Bank of Commerce, 15 at $347, 10 at $348, 25 at $348.50, 25 and 15 at $349.

Title-Guaranty Trust, 10 at $137.

ST. LOUIS MONEY MARKET.

The demand for money was fair Monday. Clearances indicated a heavy counter business. Rates were steady at 4½ to 5 per cent for call and 5 to 6 per cent for time loans. Clearances were $9,935,863, with balances of $1,045,067.

LIVESTOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,500. Strong to 10c higher. Good to prime steers, $6.70@7.40; poor to medium, $4.60@6.60; stockers and feeders, $2.50@5.25; cows, $1.50@2.50; heifers, $5.50@6.00; canners, $1.50@2.40; bulls, $2.50@5.50; calves, $2.50@6; Texas fed steers, $5.25@6.25. Hogs—Receipts today, 36,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 2952; steady to lower; mixed and butchers, $6.80@7.25; good to choice heavy, $7.10@7.30; rough heavy, $6.85@7.10; light, $6.80@6.95; bulk of sales, $6.95@7.20. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep steady; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $5.25@6.90; fair to choice mixed, $4.50@5.40; western sheep, $4.50@5.90; native lambs, $4.75@6.85; western lambs, $6.25@6.75. Official Saturday—Receipts: Cattle, 164; hogs, 8874; sheep, 464. Shipments—Cattle, 612; hogs, 3086; sheep, 222.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 900; market slow and steady; export and dressed beef steers, $6@6.80; fair to good, $5.75@6.25; stockers and feeders, $5.25@4.80; western fed steers, $5.60@6.50; cows, $2.75@5; native cows, $3@5.25; heifers, $3@6; canners, $2@3; bulls, $3.50@6; calves, $4@5.75. Hogs—Receipts, 2600; market steady to 5c higher; top, $7.20; bulk of sales, $6.95@7.15; heavy, $7@7.20; mixed, $6; stockers, $6.25; lights, $6.90@7.10; pigs were steady, $5@6.25. Sheep—Receipts, 1500; market steady on both sheep and lambs; western lambs, $6.65@6.85; western ewes and yearlings, mixed, $5.90; western ewes, $5.30@5.40.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; market slow, steady; native steers, $4.75@7; cows and heifers, $3.75@6; western steers, $4.50@6.15; Texas steers, $4.25@5.60; canners, $1.50@3.30; stockers and feeders, $3@5.25; calves, $4@7; bulls, stags, etc., $2.75@5.35. Hogs—Receipts, 2600; market steady; heavy, $6.85@7.60; mixed, $6.80@6.90; light, $6.60@6.85; pigs, $5.25@6.40; bulk of sales, $6.75@6.95. Sheep—Receipts, 5700; market steady to stronger; fed muttons, $5@6; westerns, $4@4.85; ewes, $4@5.50; common and stockers, $3.25@4.85; lambs, $5.50@6.90.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000, including 1500 Texans; strong to 10c higher; native steers, $5.50@7; Texas and Indian steers, $4.75@6.25; Texas cows, $3.50@5; native cows and heifers, $3.50@6.50; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.25; bulls, $3.50@5; calves, $4.50@5.75. Hogs—Receipts, 5000; market strong; bulk of sales, $6.70@7.10; heavy, $7.10@7.25; packers, $6.80@7.15; medium, $6.90@7.15; light, $6.50@7; Yorkers, $6.85@7; pigs, $5.65@6.60. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market steady; muttons, $5.40@5.75; lambs, $5.40@[illegible]; range wethers, $5.40@5.85; ewes, $4.85@5.25.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Butter steady; creameries, 23@30c; dairies, 24@27c. Cheese unchanged; twins, 12c; daisies, 12¼c; Young Americas, 13c. Eggs firm; at mark, cases included, 15c; dressed poultry steady; turkeys, 10@12½c; chickens, 10@11½c.

New York Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Noon.—Money on call firm at 5@6 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange barely steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87⅞@4.87¾ for demand and at $4.84⅞@4.85¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.86 and $4.88½; commercial bills, $4.84¼@4.85¼. Mexican dollars, 48c. Government bonds firm; ref. 2s reg., 109¾; do cp., 109¾; 3s reg., 109; do cp., 109¾; new 4s reg., 139; do cp., 139¼; old 4s reg., 111½; do cp., 111; 5s reg., 107; do cp., 107. Bar silver, 53⅛c.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS GIVEN WATER CURE

PHILIPPINE FIGHTER TELLS HOW COMRADES ARE DISCIPLINED.

RICHTER'S CASE AROUSED ARMY

Private Klein Says Torture by Dripping Ice Water Is Even Worse Than the Cure.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 14.—Max Klein, who served nearly four years in Company D, Ninth Infantry, in the Philippines, and was honorably discharged at Manila in March, is at his home in Syracuse.

"When I left Manila, March 16," he said today, "the reported death by torture of Private Edward Richter had aroused and excited American soldiers throughout the islands and was the main topic of the talk among them.

"I believe the story of Richter's death, as published originally, is absolutely true. The enlisted men were wild at the report, and, if Lieut. Sinclair had fallen into their hands in Manila, he would have been mobbed. He has the reputation there of being unnecessarily harsh.

"I have seen with my own eyes dozens of American soldiers in the Ninth Infantry punished in the same way. Men are bound and gagged and gallons of ice water are dropped on their foreheads. The horrible water cure, often used on the Filipinos is given to members of the Ninth.

"Large quantities of water, sometimes salt, water, are poured down the throats of the men, and, when their stomachs are distended painfully, a man stands on their stomachs and forces the water out. The pain is terrible, but those who have suffered both punishments say that the dropping of ice water on the forehead is the most unendurable.

"I have seen members of my regiment almost dead from treatment such as Richter received.

"They call these reports 'soldiers' stories,' but they are the truth and everybody in the service knows it."

BULL WHIPPED AFRICAN LION

Monarch of the Desert, Which Was a Pet, Was Nearly Killed by His Antagonist.

EL PASO, Tex., April 14.—A Mexican bull, with its horns sawed off, conquered a "fierce" South African lion in a great cage in the bullring at Jaurez, Mexico, yesterday afternoon.

If the bull's horn had been sharp, the monarch of the desert would have been slain early in the battle, for, after the first rush, there was no doubt of the result.

Nevertheless, the crowd was pleased, for it cheered the bull every time he made an assault on the cowering lion, although the latter had been a long favorite in the betting.

The fight lasted 40 minutes. The lion will probably die.

He was gored often by his fierce antagonist and tossed about like a stuffed animal. At the end of the fight his right foreleg was broken, several of his ribs had been caved in and he was bleeding profusely from the mouth and from the thrusts he had received. The fight was finally stopped by the Mexican authorities, who commanded the owner of the lion to either terminate it or submit to arrest.

The fight consisted of 14 separate encounters, and in each case the bull was the aggressor. He charged the lion immediately upon entering the cage from his stall. The beast of the jungle was so surprised that he retaliated but feebly. In the second mix-up the honors were about even and neither badly hurt. The third round was decidedly in favor of the lion. Springing on the bull's neck, he drove his teeth in, remaining in that position for several seconds, but released his hold before he did any serious damage.

The lion was a pet, owned by A. J. Morrison of Los Angeles, Cal., who had caught it in Africa while it was a cub. It evinced affection for its master.

Even after the beast had been badly wounded, when its owner would approach the cage it would rush to where he was standing with an appealing look for protection. The confidence was misplaced, and when the animal refused to fight his master cruelly beat him with a long club and goaded him with iron rods. Throughout the fight he also threw an acid on the lion to enrage him.

The contest took place in an octagonal-shape cage, 96 feet in circumference.

"My neighbors," said Morrison, explaining why he had matched the lion for a fight, "complained that my pet was disturbing them so much by his continual roaring that I decided to take him to Mexico and fight him against the most ferocious bull that could be obtained."

If You Have $100 Cash

and can make $10 per month payment on a lot that will double and treble in value in a very short time, owing to prospective completion of a boulevard in front of property, write Mercantile Trust Co., Real Estate Department, for particulars of their "King's Highway Terrace" subdivision.

OYSTER IN HIS WINDPIPE

Man in Maryland Fell From His Chair at Table and Died in a Moment.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 14.—J. C. Ayton of Laurel, while eating oysters yesterday fell from his chair and in a few moments was found to be dead. It was believed that apoplexy was the cause of death. But an autopsy made today showed that an oyster had slipped into his windpipe and choked him.

WETMORE PLANT IS SOLD.

The Mercantile Trust Co. sold by auction Monday noon the immense Wetmore Tobacco plant with lot 331x140 feet for $120,000.

The purchaser was E. W. Handian, who bought it for the E. W. Handian Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of railway supplies.

The opening bid was $100,000.

The property is a massive five-story and basement brick, iron and stone building. It is located on Papin street, extending from Thirteenth to Fourteenth streets, fronting 331 feet on the former street. This building was originally erected by the Haydocks as a carriage factory, and when the Wetmore Tobacco Co. took possession of it over $100,000 was expended in substantial improvements and alterations. It contains over 250,000 square feet of floor space, being divided into three sections, rendering it adaptable for warehouse and manufacturing purposes. The equipment includes an electric plant and other machinery.

BOY MAY BE COUNTERFEITER.

Louisville Student Is Accused of Making Dimes and Quarters.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 14.—Phillip Hans, a 14-year-old boy in his freshman year at Manual Training High School, has been arrested by Secret Service Agent Donnella on the charge of making counterfeit nickels and quarters.

The boy's story is that he found the money, but the secret service agent declares he has made use of the dies and mould employed in the metal working department of the school. The counterfeit is crude and the officers believe the boy is alone in his work.

FLOODS AND FIRE RAGE IN BERLIN

Torrential Rains and Continuous Lightning.

BOLTS STRIKE MANY HOUSES

FIRE BRIGADE SUMMONED TO THREE HUNDRED PLACES.

BERLIN, April 14.—A violent thunderstorm accompanied by torrential rain, broke over Berlin and its vicinity early today, causing great damage. Many buildings were struck by lightning. The fire brigade was summoned to upwards of 300 places to extinguish fires and cope with floods.

The water was so deep around the approaches to the railroad station on Friedrich strasse that it was impossible to reach the depot.

At the Lehrte station some of the waiting rooms had to be closed, as the walls threatened to fall.

A portion of the embankment of the Potsdam railroad near Schoeneberg was swept away and similar damage to the Circular railroad necessitated a suspension of traffic.

The streets were so flooded that the street cars in several districts were stopped. The roads were almost impassable for pedestrians and, consequently, the schools were closed. The museum was considerably damaged. The decorative portions of many buildings and the statues in the public squares were seriously damaged by hail, which for a time fell most heavily.

Trains were unable to leave the Stettin because of the floods.

SPRING HAT LEADS TO JAIL

Detectives Flynn and Gaffney Arrest May Kirby, Who Declines to Answer Their Questions.

Detectives Flynn and Gaffney arrested Mary Kirby at Jefferson avenue and Locust street at 11 a. m. on a charge of stealing a hat from the millinery store of Strauss & Stumer, Broadway and St. Charles street.

The detectives found the hat alleged to have been stolen in the rooms of the woman, at 2300 Locust street. A warrant for petit larceny was issued and a photograph taken.

The woman declined to make any statement or to answer any questions.

NATIVES LAY TRAPS FOR OUR SOLDIERS

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER DESCRIBES CAMPAIGN DANGERS.

PITS AND AMBUSHES USED

Americans Now Do Most of Their Fighting at Long Range to Avoid Wily Tactics.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 14.—According to a letter received from a non-commissioned officer, who was at Leyte, Batangas Province Feb. 13, both Americans and Filipinos are having a hard campaign, but the natives are getting much the worst of it. The letter, written by a relative to the Rev. Lewis K. Bristow, living at Wedgefield, S. C., gives an account of methods used by both sides. The letter says:

"In a skirmish, they work it this way: Twenty or thirty of the natives will get up the side of a mountain about 300 yards and begin shooting at us. About 100 yards further down men with bolos will be hidden in the tall grass. When the men up the hill see us advancing, they run, we pursue and run right into the men with the knives, who spring up and slash right and left. They kill few outright, but many die from the bolo wounds.

"Another way they have caught the Americans is by digging pits and placing poisoned spurs upright in them. These pits are covered over with long grass and cannot be detected by men advancing on a run, who fall in and receive horrible and fatal wounds. But we are learning something now, and do our fighting at long range.

January 1, we started on a ten days' march, with orders to destroy everything in the shape of food or property and kill every living thing except women, children and old men. On this march and subsequent ones these orders were carried out. Thousands of horses, cows, hogs, dogs and chickens 'bit the dust.'

"Our present camp is on a beautiful beach. Bathing is a pleasant pastime. The companies in the city are quartered either in churches or 'shacks.' Around every town is a dead line, a circle about five miles from the center marked by American flags about 50 yards apart. Everything outside of this line from a man to a dog, except women, children and old men, may be shot by any soldier on sight.

"You may think us a bloodthirsty crew, but you misjudge us. We do not shoot down these poor devils in cold blood, but always give them a chance to surrender; when they won't do it, we have to shoot. But I'll admit it is something like eating olives—you have to get used to it."

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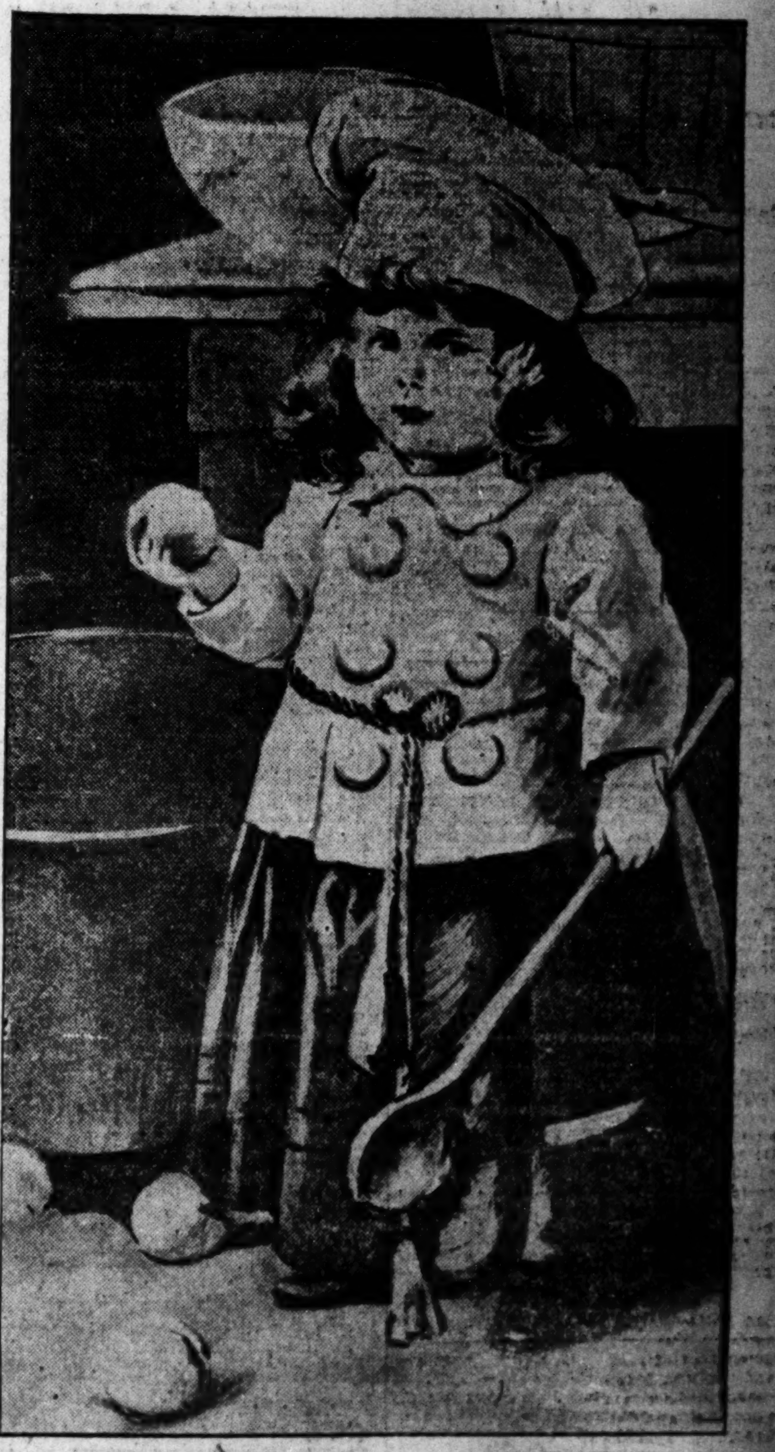

THE LITTLE COOK

This charming genre picture is so faithful a copy of the original painting that framed and under a glass none but an expert could tell it from the original. It will be given FREE to all purchasers of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

SUNDAY WAS A GREAT DAY FOR POST-DISPATCH WANTS—3610 IN ALL.

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FOR EXCHANGE—Dentistry, for carpenter work. Ad. O 86, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

ADDRESSER—Man writing good legible business hand desires envelopes to address, letters to copy, etc.; work at home; satisfaction guaranteed. Ad. T 198, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Sit. wanted by good bread and cake baker; city or country. 4421 S. 9th st.

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by a good bartender; speaks German and English; can give references. C. Buchold, 910 N. 13th st.

BARKEEPER—Sit. wanted as barkeeper; will do porter work; good references. Fred, 101 S. 3d st.

BARTENDER—Position wanted by young married bartender; ten years' experience; speaks German and English. Add. P 86, P.-D.

BOOKKEEPER—Attention, business men: young man, thoroughly experienced, A1 bookkeeper, high references, strictly sober habits, good penman, married, wants position. Ad. K 189, Post-Dis.

BOY—A boy of 18 years would like to learn grocery trade. Ad. 1907A De Soto av.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy 17 in a wholesale or retail store; will start and work up. Stanley, 3873 Bell av.

BOY—Sit. wanted by good colored boy for general housework; can give refs. 3919 Easton av.

CARPENTER—Work wanted by rought carpenter, 20c per hour. Ad. P 163, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTERS—Two good non-union carpenters would like position; repair or new work. Ad. P 19, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by allround carpenter. Ad T 103, Post-Dispatch.

CARPET LAYER—Carpet layer, 16 years' experience, wants position; A1 references. Ad. P 193, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Sit. wanted as grocery clerk. E. Heilrung, 719 Marion st.

COLLECTOR—Position wanted by young married man as collector, light delivery or laundry wagon; can furnish good reference. Ad. R 134, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Sit. wanted by young married man; steady and sober, as driver for city delivery. Ad. T 102, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Sit. wanted by young man in packing department or as driver; not afraid to work; experience. Ad. T 54, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Sit. wanted as drug clerk; registered graduate P. C. P.; 8 years' experience; wants position city or country. Ad. W 97, Post-D.

ENGINEER—Situation wanted by a licensed engineer; 36 years old; married, with family. Ad. W. Moersch, 2025 Carr st.

ENGINEER AND MACHINIST—Sit. wanted by unlicensed engineer and machinist. Ad. 1446 N. 19th st., St. Louis.

FOREMAN—Foreman of experience wants position with some first-class building company; can estimate or take items; also practical draftsman. A. M., 3042 Vine Grove av.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. as house and yardman; willing worker; $5 per week. 711 N. Jefferson av.

HOUSEMAN—Experienced middle-aged white man wants situation as houseman or about place; city references. W. H. Frank, Camp Jackson postoffice.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. wanted as houseman. 8721 Fair.

MACHINIST—Sit. wanted as machinist, in or out of city. Ad. T 96, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST—Experienced mechanic wishes employment in erecting all kinds of machinery at short notice; reasonable. Ad. 210 Vine st.

MACHINIST—Situation by a machinist; experienced in general shop and factory work; references, former employers. Ad. W 147, Post-Dis.

MAKE-READY—Sit. wanted by young man as job pressfeeder and make-ready; reference. Ad. W 86, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—An active young married man wants steady employment; reliable; have good education and know city. Ad. T 97, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Man wants permanent situation; experienced horseman; cows, poultry, gardens, flowers, furnaces, etc.; handy, sober, reliable; best references. Ad. W 127, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by colored man; first-class chef; city or country; best reference. 4044 Finney av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by bright, energetic young man of 21 as collector or city salesman; 5 years' experience as salesman. Ad. P 54, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man wants sit. as traveling salesman; will furnish bonds and good refs. Ad. A., 4140 Chouteau av.

MAN—Young man of 25 wants sit. as fireman; sober, honest and good refs. Ad. B., 4140 Chouteau av.

MAN—German-American, aged 24 years, would appreciate a chance to learn some trade; offers his services for what they may be worth. Ad. W 128, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man in clothing store furnishing goods preferred; 3 years' experience. Ad. G. F. Rhoadman, 103 S. 22d st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young married man of 25 in wholesale grocery house; have had 7 years' experience in retail grocery; 6 years with last employed; best of references given. Ad. T 99, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man as grocery; 6 years experience. G. F. Rhoadman, 103 S. 22d.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a young colored man as houseman or porter; best of references. Ad. T 35, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Work of any kind wanted by sober, honest and reliable young man with references. Ad. T 92, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man, 25 years, wants job in machine shop; 1½ years' experience at dye work; can furnish references. Ad. T 98, Post-Dis.

MAN—Position wanted by young man of 22; can give refs. Ad. N 35, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—I am a hustler and trustworthy young man seeking a situation that offers fair salary for good services. Ad. R 151, Post-Dispatch.

MILLWRIGHT—Stranger in town, wants a job; well up in the business; used to handling men, a practical builder. Ad. T 93, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE BOY—Position in office, by bright boy of 17; has spent three years in high school; not afraid of work. Ad. T 133, Post-Dispatch.

OPERATOR—Sit. wanted by operator on harness or saddle machine work; 10 years' exp. Ad. O 11, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—Painter wishes work from property owners; have tools, ladders, staging and rigging for any job. Ad. P 36, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—Sit. by experienced house and sign painter; also paperhanger wants work; has tools; owners only; reas. Ad. W 88, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—Situation by colored man in dining room or porter work; good references. Apply 2621 Pine.

PORTER—Sit. by colored man as houseman or porter work; write or call, 1014 N. Cardinal. J. L. Gallion.

SOLICITOR—Position wanted with first-class licensed view photographer as solicitor; experienced all-around man in the business; can get big jobs; commission or salary. Ad. P 186, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Stenographer wants circular letters to copy during spare time; will call for and deliver work. H. G. Hernley, 814 N. 4th.

TINNER—First-class mechanic wants work of any kind. Ad. W 87, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—Wanted, by young married man not employed in afternoons, a few hours' work each evening; will work reasonable; good references. Call 1818 Wash, 3d floor.

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Mercantile College, Lincoln Trust bldg., 7th and Chestnut sts.; individual instruction given in bookkeeping, penmanship, shorthand, typewriting, etc. demand for graduates greater than supply. Tels., Bell Main 2640; Kin. A70; open all summer.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

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BAKER WANTED—Baker; foreman; must be good on bread and rolls. Address New England Bakery, 1752 Leavenworth st., Omaha, Neb.

BARBER WANTED—First-class barber; steady position; wages guaranteed; single man. 2209 Olive st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BARBER WANTED—Southwest corner 18th and Market sts.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy to work in bakery. 3011 Arsenal st.

BOY WANTED—Boy; apply Stag Tailoring Co., 511A N. 6th st.

BOY WANTED—Boy accustomed to bicycle work. 607 N. Vandeventer av.

BOY WANTED—Good boy, 14 years old, to work in lunch room. Stand 52, Biddle Market.

BOY WANTED—Good colored boy for house and yard work; call after 8 o'clock, 5347 Cabanne.

BOY WANTED—Boy to work in drug store and tend soda fountain. Rose Hill Pharmacy, 5901 Maple av.

BOY WANTED—Boy 18 to 20 who understands dairy work. 5575 Easton av.

BOY WANTED—Bright boy to answer telephone; must be neat. Call 1026 Century bldg.

BOY WANTED—A good boy to work in tailor shop. 314 N. Euclid av., Friedman Bros.

BOY WANTED—Good colored boy; dental office. Dr. Moser, 610 Franklin av.

BOY WANTED—Who understands bicycle repairing. Apply Lee Mallalieu, 306 N. Grand av.

BOY WANTED—Boy to learn horseshoeing. 2650 Lafayette av.

BOY WANTED—Good, strong boy for plumbing shop. Ad. W 89, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Boy who has had some experience in plating room. The Enterprise Brass Co., 1120 Pine st.

BOY WANTED—Boy, 15 years old, for factory work; must be accompanied by parent or guardian. Inland Type Fdy., 12th and Locust sts.

BOYS WANTED—200 boys from 14 to 16 years. Call Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, bottling department.

BURNISHER WANTED—Heel burnisher on men's fine shoes. Desnoyer-Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas av.

CARPENTER WANTED—Union carpenter; must be good finisher. Goodfellow and Minerva.

CARPET LAYER WANTED—A first-class carpet layer. Enterprise Carpet Cleaning Co., Easton and Pendleton avs.

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CASH BOYS WANTED—Must be 14 years old. Apply to James G. Nugent, B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co.

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CONCRETE MEN WANTED—Colored concrete men wanted in alley at Delmar and Euclid avs.; long job; pay every Saturday. Mound City Construction Co.

COOK WANTED—Competent man to do cooking and general housework; must give reference. 3939 Castleman av.

COOK WANTED—Male or female cook, white or colored, for small family hotel. Ad. D 120, P.-D.

COOK WANTED—Man night cook; must be a good short order cook. 818 Pine st.

DYER WANTED—Good dyer at 3571 Olive st.

DRILL RUNNER WANTED—Drill runner wanted; man who is thoroughly competent to run steam drill in quarry; long job for right man; pay every week. Mound City Construction Co.

ENGINEER WANTED—A thoroughly competent engineer; references required. Ad. W 88, P.-D.

ERRAND BOY WANTED—Bright errand boy. 620 N. Broadway.

FIREMAN WANTED—An experienced fireman; one who can take care of machinery and do repair work; state wages and reference. Ad. T 101, Post-Dispatch.

GARDENERS WANTED—4 gardeners. Apply at Young's greenhouse, Union av., north of Forest Park.

COOK WANTED—A good allround man cook. 1908 S. Jefferson av.

COOK WANTED—A good experienced short-order cook for night work. Horn's Hotel, 704 Pine.

HOUSEBOY WANTED—Experienced colored houseboy in West End; references required. Call 412 Olive st.

HOUSEMEN WANTED—Two colored men for general housework; one who understands dining room work; also care of horses. Call this afternoon. 3035 Bell av.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—Man for general work around house and yard; sleep at home. 843 Hawthorne bl.

IRONWORKERS WANTED—Architectural ironworkers. Ludlow-Saylor Wire Co., Wabash R. R. and Newstead av.

KITCHEN HELP WANTED—Man or boy to help in kitchen; call today, 2807 Locust st.

LABORERS WANTED—Colored; Goodfellow av., 8 blocks north of Easton av. John F. McMahon.

LABORERS WANTED—Delmar and Union avs. Heman Construction Co.

LABORERS WANTED—Southwest Missouri; free pass tonight. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th street.

LABORERS WANTED—Apply at 2800 De Kalb.

MACHINISTS WANTED—To call at 1810 Franklin av., as there is a strike on in this city.

MAN WANTED—To work in city; none but good hustlers need apply. 2731 Franklin av.

MAN WANTED—Young man who thoroughly understands cleaning, pressing and dyeing men's clothing; none but sober and steady man need apply. Address, with references, H. Kaufman, Fort Smith, Ark.

MEN WANTED—20 men; $1.75 per day; Juniata and Oak Hill aves. M. J. Sullivan.

MEN WANTED—Colored truckers, freight handlers, factory laborers. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

MEN WANTED—Two chefs, one second; country; fees deducted. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

MAN WANTED—In a general cabinet and jobbing shop; one used to carpenter tools; a young man preferred. 1913 Olive st.

MAN WANTED—Middle-aged white man to care for horses and lawn; must be good driver; reference. 5633 Julian st.

MAN WANTED—Young white man for outside work around house; small wages. 818 Olive st.

MAN WANTED—Young white stable man. 5755 Bartmer av.

MAN WANTED—Steady, faithful young man, with experieence, to work on farm. Apply 2340 Olive.

MAN WANTED—Neat, sober man to wash dishes and clean windows. 611-613 Morgan st.

MAN WANTED—Man to drive delivery wagon. Call after 6 p. m. 3121 Eads av.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED—To cook and wait on table; in tent. Giant, end of King's highway.

MEAT CUTTER WANTED—Good German meat cutter. 1104 O'Fallon st.

MEN WANTED—Six warehousemen, 10 truckers, six factory men. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—25 men at $1.85 per day; 25 teams at $3.75 per day. Newstead and Delmar; month's work. Ed Kearny.

MEN WANTED—Thirty men, $2 per day. Vandeventer and Bell. L. Kennah & Co.

MEN WANTED—Young men, by Diamond Mine Co., to learn to cut and polish diamonds; apply at once. Kopittke, Station B, Cincinnati, O.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—30 men and teams on Seventh and Washington av; men, $1.75 per day; teams, 40 cents per load and trap-ticket. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN WANTED—To learn barber trade; only two months required; special offer for 30 days; improve this chance; board, tools, diplomas and positions given; can earn expenses if desired; all the advantages of free clinic, expert instruction, etc; we have seven great colleges in leading cities, and can offer advantages that cannot be had elsewhere; particulars mailed. Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st.

MEN WANTED—10 water pipe men; $2.75 per day. 2800 De Kalb st., Abbot-Gamble Contracting Co.

MEN WANTED—2 young men for nice, clean work; no bank clerks wanted. Call 1 to 5, no later, 3030 Lawton av.

MEN WANTED—Five men to pen address envelopes. Imitation Typewriting Co., 523 Holland bldg.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—Ten men and 10 teams at Mary Institute, Lake av. and McPherson av. Berglar & Bro.

MEN WANTED—20 good men with hatchets; 1529 Market st. Southern Wrecking Co., 16th and Lafayette.

MINERS WANTED—First-class, experienced clay miners; to good, industrious, sober, reliable miners, steady work will be given the year round; by energy, industry and close attention to their work from $3 to $4 per day can be easily earned; wages paid semi-monthly. Apply to the Evens & Howard Fire Brick Co., Howard's Station, Missouri Pacific Railroad, city.

OPERATOR WANTED—Stock fitter and an operator on lasting machines. 4333-35-37 Warne.

PAINTER WANTED—A union painter. Call after 6:30 tonight, southwest corner 18th and Chestnut.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—50 men and 50 tems with big beds; 8 month's work, at 14th and Lucas av. E. Whelan.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—25 teams, 50-foot bed; 20 men; Page, west of Whittier; good wages; in morning. W. J. Redmond.

PAINTER AND CORNET PLAYER WANTED—Steady work all summer to good painter and cornet player. Write J. Leon Rosse, Glasgow, Mo.

PAINTER WANTED—Painter who understands refinishing hardwood floors; state wages. Ad. W 131, Post-Dispatch.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Paper hangers at 1311 N. Grand av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Paper hangers at 1324 Washington av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—At once. 1613 3d av., Rock Island, Ill.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—3537 Easton av.

PAPER HANGER WANTED—First-class paper hanger. 2919 Natural Bridge road.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Two experienced paper hangers at 1406 Burd av.

PASTER WANTED—First-class paster for paper hanger; good wages. Call Monday evening between 6 and 7 or Tuesday morning. 1404 Olive st., 2d floor. front. Oliver.

PAINTERS WANTED—Painters. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary. 1214 Franklin av.

QUARRYMEN WANTED—25; $2.75 per day. Grand av. and Forest Park bl., Bambrick & Bates Con. Co.

SHOVELERS WANTED—Thirty shovelers, $2 a day. Vandeventer and Bell. L. Kennah & Co.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—A young, sober shoemaker. 6107 Horton pl.; Suburban car; bring tools.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—Shoemaker to work on jack; steady job, good wages. 1923 Franklin.

SHOE OPERATOR WANTED—First-class operator on stitch separator on ladies' fine welt shoes. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., 21st and Locust.

SHIRTWAIST CUTTER WANTED—Experienced short knife cutter on shirtwaists. Star Waist Co., 415 N. 8th st.

STRIPPER WANTED—Good tobacco stripper. 705 N. 3d st.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—An experienced male stenographer and typewriter; must be reliable and accurate at figures, as time will only be partially used at dictation and typewriting; good opportunity for advancement. Apply, giving references, age, experience, whether married or single, salary expectd, W 125, Post-Dispatch.

TEAMS WANTED—Slip and wheeler work; Lindell and De Baliviere av., Forest Park. John F. McMahon.

TEAMSTERS AND LABORERS WANTED—Teamsters and laborers. Clayton av., west of Tamm av. Rosedale Contracting and Supply Co.

TEAMS WANTED—Teams to haul macadam. Easton, block west of Taylor.

TEAMS WANTED—20 teams on Broadway; north of Prairie; $3.75 per day and wagon furnished. Carroll Contracting Co.

TEAMS WANTED—20 teams at rate of $4 per day; Spruce st., between 5th and 6th. John A. Lynch.

TEAMSTERS WANTED—Teamsters and dumpers. King's highway, 1½ miles south of Arsenal st. Carroll Contracting Co.

TEAMS WANTED—20 teams to haul granite; Spring av. and Mo. Pac. R. R., Tuesday morning.

TEAMS WANTED—20 teams, to haul brick and rubbish. Turner bldg., 8th and Olive.

TEAMS WANTED—Teams to haul brick; easy haul; $4 a day. Apply at Turner building, 8th and Olive.

TEAMSTERS WANTED—Teamsters; Oklahoma, Ind. Ter. tonight; cheap rates. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

TEAMS WANTED—Teams on scraper work; $4 per day. Marcus and St. Ferdinand.

TUCK POINTER WANTED—Tuck pointer at 1705 Russell av.

WAITER WANTED—White man waiter. 2005 Olive st.

WAGON MAKER WANTED—First-class; none but first-class mechanic need apply. Ad. P. A. Benham, Bonne Terre, Mo.

WANTED—State organizers for Kansas and other states by old established insurance society; pay sickness, accident and death claims; plan popular and easy to secure members; salary and renewal contract; write for terms. Address Society, 705 N. Y. Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. Mention this paper.

YOUNG MAN WANTED—A young man to learn and assist in cutting caps; would prefer one with some experience in cutting in general. Gram & Glass, 703 Lucas av.

WHITENER WANTED—First-class whitener. F. Wallace, 715 Chouteau.

WRECKERS WANTED—50 wreckers. Apply at Turner building, 8th and Olive sts.

YOUNG MEN WANTED—Young men to do factory work. Drey-Kahn Glass Co., 1108 St. Charles.

YOUNG MAN WANTED—Bright young man 18 years old to learn good trade; must be accompanied by parent or guardian. Inland Type Fdy., 12th and Locust sts.

UP-TO-DATE PHYSICIAN.

Desiring hospital experience for one year. Ad. W 133, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

OIL SALESMEN—To sell lubricating oil and grease on salary or commission; excellent side line. The A. G. Harbaugh Co., Cleveland, O.

SALESMAN WANTED—Experienced man for the front; clothing and shoe store. Leader, 820 Franklin av.

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AGENTS WANTED—Six reliable agents to call a the Murillo studio; best proposition ever mad to photo ticket sellers. 1314 Olive st.

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PARTNER WANTED—Partner in rooming house; have furniture for 9 rooms. Ad. P 164, P.-D.

PARTNER WANTED—Lady, to take half interest in an established photo studio; $400 required. Ad R 158, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

COMPANION—Sit. wanted as companion and assistant to lady, by respectable elderly widow; good plain seamstress; neat and orderly; keep house for one or two gentlemen. Ad. P 174, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

COOK—Sit. wanted by experienced cook; good references; private family or first-class boarding house. 2808 Morgan st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good cook; willing to assist with other work; reference. 2231 Carr st., upstairs.

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored woman as cook in private family. 2636 Lucas av.

COPYIST—Wanted, copying to do at home. Ad. M 85, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Sit. wanted by dressmaker by the day. 807 Old Manchester road.

GIRLS—Sits. wanted by two girls; cook and housegirl; no washing. 824 S. 9th st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl to clean office or toilet work. 2220 Lucas av.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by girl to do work of any kind by day or week. Ad. 2220 Lucas av.

GIRL—Position wanted by young girl of 17 in store or restaurant; experienced. Call 4506 Easton.

HOUSEGIRL—Young girl about 16 to do housework or light cooking. Miss Mabel Sandstecht, 1635 S. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL—A neat colored girl for housework; private family; no washing or ironing. Write or call N. Childs, 1312 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by small girl to assist with housework. 2250 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by good housegirl for cleaning wood work and do general housework; small family; no washing. 1302 S. 15th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by young widow with small child as housekeeper. Call after 1 p. m., R. H., 915 Ann av.

HOUSEWOMAN—Situation wanted by experienced woman in private family at general housework. Call 819 N. 21st st., upstairs.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young widow as housekeeper; has one little girl. 2623 N. Broadway; rear.

HOUSE CLEANER—An intelligent colored lady would like house cleaning; reference; call 1219 Vandeventer av., first floor.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by girl to do very light housework without washing or ironing; small family. [illegible] 14th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Position wanted by girl of 15 to assist with light housework 1628 Biddle, 2d floor; rear.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by girl to do general housework; small family. 1905 Wright st., downstairs.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by refined widow; can cook. Call 3433A Franklin.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by German girl to do general housework in family of two. 1312 Chouteau av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined respectable young widow wants position as housekeeper or companion for old person; experienced. E. W., 2700 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by colored girl to do cooking and housework in small family; ref. 724 N. Beaumont. Mary Thomas.

HOUSEGIRL—Good housegirl would like situation at housework or laundry work. 1028 N. Leffingwell av. Nettie Norman.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted for house and dining room work. 5083 Delmar bl.

LAUNDRESS—German woman would like working girls' washing or small bundle washing. 1703 Franklin.

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LAUNDRESS—Laundress wishes small washing to take home, rough dry. 3508 Cass av.; call 2 days, 1st floor.

LAUNDRESS—Work wanted by first-class laundress to go out or bring washing home. Belle Currell, 2229 Market st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress to take laundry home; prices reasonable. 3526 Bernard st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored lady; rough dry washing to bring home. Call or write, 4237A Cottage av.

MILLINER—Sit. wanted by experienced milliner in St. Louis; good references. Ad. W 169, Post-Dispatch.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by a little girl as nurse. 4321 West Belle.

SCRUBBING—Wanted, scrubbing or house cleaning by day. Mrs. Cullen, 1333 S. Broadway, third floor.

SEAMSTRESS—Experienced, wishes sewing in private families; $1.25 per day. Ad. P 145, P.-D.

STENOGRAPHER—Competent young lady stenographer desires position; accurate; willing to work. L. H., 1732 S. 10th st.

WASHING—A good German woman wants housecleaning and washing for Mondays and Tuesdays. Ad. P 185, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Settled colored woman wants sit.; no washing; wages no object; boarding houses need not apply; German family preferred. 757 Walton av.

WOMAN—Colored woman would like house cleaning or office scrubbing by day. 2609 Lucas av.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by middle-aged woman to care for children and assist; reasonable wages and good home. 1731 N. 12th st.

WOMAN—Wanted, work of any kind by the day. Call or address Mrs. C. Webb, 2733 Franklin.

YOUNG LADY—Wanted, night situation by neat young lady; restaurant or lunchroom. Ad. M. C., 2617 Pine st.

YOUNG LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady as an assistant in doctor's office or dispensary. Ad. Miss M., 2017 N. 18th st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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BUTTONHOLE MAKER WANTED—Experienced buttonhole maker and helper on custom coats. M. Bond, 1024 Olive st.

BUTTONHOLE MAKER WANTED—A first-class buttonhole maker on custom coats; best wages paid. 618 Olive st., fourth floor.

BUTTON HOLE MAKERS WANTED—Hand button hole makers wanted on custom vests. 1010 N. 10th st.

COOK WANTED—White cook for boarding house; bring reference. Apply 1925 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Good girl to cook, wash and iron. 3235 Maple av.

COOK WANTED—A cook; refs. 4217 West Pine.

COOK AND LAUNDRESS WANTED—Competent young girl to cook and launder; four in family; large wages. Apply Tuesday morning, 5130 Fairmount av.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook; white; experienced in hospital and hotel work; call at once, Mayfield Sanitarium, 912 N. Taylor.

COOK WANTED—Reliable German girl for plain cooking; good wages. [illegible] Eads av.

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COOK WANTED—Competent cook for private boarding house; good wages; reference required. 4214 Westminster pl.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook; small private boarding house; bring references. 3100 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Cook for small family; no washing or ironing. Call immediately. 521 Whittier.

COOK AND HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to cook and do general housework; liberal wages. 3936 Castleman av.

DINNER GIRL WANTED—Neat dinner girl at Voney's Lunchroom, 313 Locust st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Girl to wash dishes; $2 per week. 1437 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHERS WANTED—Two women dishwashers and one to wash clothes. 716 Olive st., upstairs.

ERRAND GIRL WANTED—For dressmaker; not under 14 years of age. 3810 Washington av.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers on pants. The Good Luck, n. w. cor 6th and St. Charles.

GIRL WANTED—A young girl at 2000 De Kalb st.

GIRL WANTED—Bright girl about 14 years old for office; apply Grand Laundry Co., 3040 Lawton av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl by small family to assist in housework; good wages and home for young girl. 1317 Temple pl.; Page bl. car.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for boarding house. 2022 N. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—Girl 17 years old for light housework; no washing or ironing. 3538 Lawton.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for boarding house. 1801 N. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to sew on good pants; steady work. 2234 Jules st.

GIRL WANTED—For kitchen work. 3434 S. Broadway.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to work in coat factory; must be over 14 years old. The Good Luck, n. w. cor 6th and St. Charles.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to fold and insert circulars. Imitation Typewriting Co., 523 Holland bldg.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to work around flower store; 14 years old; must know city. 2334 Washington

GIRLS WANTED—About 15 years of age. Holman Paper Box Co., 8th and Walnut.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to learn dressmaking. 2325 Pine st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to pick nuts; steady work: good wages. 518 N. 2d st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two girls, cook and housegirl; good home. 1823 Hickory st.

GIRL WANTED—To make herself generally useful. 3024 Glasgow pl., corner Webster av.

GIRL WANTED—Strong girl. 2000 DeKalb st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of three. 5232A Minerva av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework, without washing; good wages. Apply 4700 Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 5829 Bartmer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; one that can cook; no washing; good home, good wages. 4575 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl about 14 years old to assist with housework. Bakery, 928 Madison st.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Woman to keep doctor's office in order for rent of 3 rooms and $3 per week; references required; also full particulars; widow with little girl 10 to 14 preferred. Ad. R 176, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework; wages $15. 2704 Stoddard st., two blocks north of Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4429 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework; no outside work. 3500 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; apply 3306 N. 21st st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; 3 adults; good home to honest girl. 1348 N. Garrison av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do housework and assist in dining room. 2640 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework: apply 2319 Scott av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 3534 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White woman for general housework; must be good cook; good wages to right party. Call Monday or Tuesday 2939 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German preferred. 1802A N. Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl for general housework; small family. 1536 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German preferred. 1750 S. 18th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3341 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl or woman for general housework. 3815 Kossuth av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family. 3341 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. 3947 West Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl not over 15 to assist in housework. 2716 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 4434A McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family of adults. 1435 S. 18th.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages to good girl. 5102 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; good wages; small family. 4813 Fountain av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3219 S. 7th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; no washing. 4815 West Belle.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework in family of two; must be good cook and laundress; wages $20. Apply with reference 5426 Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; no outside work. 4333 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 4430 West Belle pl.; upper bell.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Neat colored woman to cook and do general housework; no laundry. 705 N. 18th.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3520 Victor st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Strong girl for general housework. 3120 S. 7th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1222A S. 14th st.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Good woman for general housework; good wages. 840 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist in general housework. 3744½ Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl to assist with housework; $1.25 week. 1147 Talmage av.

HOUSEMAID WANTED—Competent housemaid and dining room girl. 3130 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general houseowrk. 1422 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with housework. 1319 Chouteau.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; 3 in family; good wages. 2910A Victor st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call at drug store, 2901 Eads.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework; small family. 3607 Palm st., 2d flat.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; age 20 to 25. 1308A Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework in 6-room house. 6731 S. 6th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be experienced. 2710 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Capable girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. 7 Parkland pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Middle-aged woman without children for housework. 2633 Rutger st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Steady girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; wages $16. 3943 Castleman av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; highest wages paid. 4300 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 317 Marion st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, with or without washing; small family; good wages. 3667 Page bl.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 14 years to assist in light housework and take care of baby. Call 5094 Fairmount av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—No objection to a small child; reference. Ad. T 90, Post-Dis.

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED—Girl to work in kitchen; colored need not apply. Winsor Hotel, 16th and Pine sts.

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED—Kitchen girl. 1426 Market st.

LADIES WANTED—To learn hair dressing, manicuring or facial massage; our facilities save years apprenticeship; free clinic, expert instructions, latest styles; $12 to $15 weekly paid graduates; call and see class. Moler College, 1141 Market st.

LADIES WANTED—Thousand ladies, instantly, to polish diamonds; home work. Kopittke, Station B., Cincinnati, O.

LADIES—Steady, clean work; $6 to $12 week; experience unnecessary. Room 404, 821 Chestnut.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—White laundress; bring reference. Apply 1925 Olive st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress; must be first-class ironer. 3630 Pine st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress by small family; first-class; white. 1317 Temple pl.; Page bl. car.

MACHINE HANDS WANTED—Two needle workers, one buttonhole worker. 810 St. Charles st.

NURSE WANTED—Nurse. 3801 Lindell bl.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl 13 or 14 years old. 1426 N. 12th st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Small girl, either white or colored, to mind baby. Mrs. Moore, 2108A Eugenia st.

NURSE WANTED—Girl to take care of lady during confinement; assist in general housework. Call 509 Franklin av.

OFFICE GIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in office work; must be good penman; address in own handwriting. T 60, Post-Dispatch.

OVERALL MAKERS WANTED—Experienced coat, pants and overall makers; steady work. 1406-8 S. 8th st.

OVERLOOKER WANTED—Experienced overlooker in shirt and overall factory; must be experienced on Singer Power machines and capable of instructing beginners. State full particulars Ad. P. O. Box 532, Meridian, Miss.

PANTS HANDS WANTED—Hand and machine girls on pants. 2719 Chippewa st.

SALESLADIES WANTED—Salesladies for millinery department. Apply second floor Century Dry Goods Co., Broadway and Franklin.

SEWING MACHINE OPERATOR WANTED—Experienced on petticoats; also learners. St. Louis Corset Co., 19th and Morgan.

SEWING MACHINE HANDS WANTED—25 experienced machine hands. Call Caster & Wilson, 2064 Cass av.

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced shirtmakers: best pay and steady work. 712 N. 10th.

SKIRT FINISHERS WANTED—Skirt finishers, apprentices and alteration girls; best wages. Apply A. A. Aal, 515 Locust st.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Skirtmakers and two apprentices at once. 3710 Laclede av.

SKIRT HAND WANTED—4547A Delmar bl.

SHORTHAND course, $50; tuition, per month, day, $10; night, $5; positions procured. Hartsock & Jones's Business College, Grand and Windsor; call; investigate.

WAITRESS WANTED—Southwest corner 9th and Morgan.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Woman to wash and iron; must do good work; steady job. 16 N. 4th st.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Woman to do washing. Apply 2205 Finney av.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—White woman to wash. 4571 Cook av.

WAITRESS WANTED—1326 Washington av.

WAITRESS WANTED—In lunchroom. $3 per week, no Sunday afternoon work. 1437 N. Broadway.

WOMAN WANTED—Middle-aged married woman to take charge of furnished rooming house as working housekeeper; free room rent, at $1 a week. 1527 Washington av.

WOMEN WANTED—$9 to $15 weekly; no canvassing; if now employed an hour or two evenings will add $5 to $6 to your weekly income; inclose stamp; work mailed on application. 20th Century Mfg. Co., Toledo, O.

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GIRL WANTED—Experienced girl on cuffs, neckbands, sleeves and body machine. Apply at once. Grand Laundry, 3040 Lawton av.

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Six first-class finishers on new work.
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Lost.

BASKET—Lost, a basket, containing fishing lines and poles. Return to Sanders' Engraving Co., care J. B. and receive reward.

COLLARETTE—Lost, light fur collarette, with bracelet attached; liberal reward. Edward Senn, 2144 Adams st.

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DOG—Lost, small size Skye terrier; wool cut; name Rover; reward. 4458A Evans.

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HORSE—Strayed or stolen, black mare, rough, and thin collar bruises on both sides; reward. 109 N. 12th.

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WATCH—Lost, open faced gold watch with R. K. monogram on black fob chain, at Columbia Theater Saturday evening. Liberal reward if returned to 4155 McPherson av.

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PONIES—Half interest in troupe of performing ponies; six months' work in the city already contracted for; partner to handle all receipts; investigate. Ad. P. O. Box 360.

THEATRICAL—Wanted, all kinds of new and novel attractions for summer park. World's Fair Amusement Co. Ad. G 190, Post-Dispatch.

VAUDEVILLE PERFORMERS WANTED—Vaudeville performers. Call or write Hashagen's Theater, 3300 Easton av.

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BLAIR AV., 1512—All second-floor rooms; complete for housekeeping; reasonable.

BROADWAY, 513 S.—Clean, nicely furnished large or small rooms, $1.25, $1.50 per week.

BROADWAY, 503 S.—Nicely furnished room, for gent; $1 per week; also other rooms.

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Rooms, 25c, 35c, 50c per day; weekly rates correspond.

CARR ST., 1721—Neatly furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; every convenience; rent reasonable.

CARPENTER PL., 730—Nicely furnished rooms, suitable for gents or ladies; mod. conv.; private family; private street.

CHANNING AV., 317 N.—Three nice light connecting rooms; unfurnished.

CHESTNUT ST., 1109½—Neatly furnished front rooms for gentlemen or light housekeeping; cheap rent.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1419—Front room, suitable for 3 or 4 men and other rooms for housekeeping.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1516—Elegant 2d-story front; also small room; upstairs; private family.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1112—Large room, furnished complete; housekeeping or gentlemen; $2.25 week; gas, bath.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1002, 1004, 1012, 1016, 1326 and 1332—Room for light housekeeping; furnished; $1.50 up; unfurnished, 75c up; connecting rooms. Webster, 1012 Chouteau. Kinloch tel., D 394.

CLARK AV., 2230—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; $1.50 up.

CLARKSON PL., 810—2 nicely furnished rooms, private family; all conveniences; two blocks west of Grand av on Suburban line.

COMPTON AV., 212 N.—Widow and daughter will let choice front room for gentlemen; hot bath, furnace, gas; reasonable.

COMPTON AV., 1115 N.—Nicely furnished rooms for gents.

COMPTON AV., 1083 N.—Two large, elegant parlors, for bachelor or dental rooms; good location; south and east.

DELMAR BL., 4465A—A very desirable parlor; new and modern; suitable for two; no other roomers; breakfast if desired.

DELMAR BL., 4547A—Small front room, second floor; southern exposure; for gentlemen.

DICKSON ST., 3047—Small furnished room; gasolene stove if desired; $1 per week.

EASTON AV., 3005—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; bath and water; conveniences; large closet; references.

FINNEY AV., 3821—Nicely furnished room; every conveniences; hot bath; gas; reasonable.

GRAND AV., 2855 N.—Nicely furnished second-story front room; bath and gas; no other roomers; rent reasonable.

GARRISON AV., 913 N.—Large, light, airy furnished room for light housekeeping.

HICKORY ST., 1000—Rent nice light unfurnished room; $3 per month.

EASTON AV., 3053—Furnished front rooms, for housekeeping; southern exposure; also hall room; reasonable.

EASTON AV., 3117—Furnished room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; hot bath.

EASTON AV., 4432—Two nicely furnished rooms; single or in suite, new house; priv. fam.

ELEVENTH ST., 12 N.—Medium sized front room; neatly furnished for light housekeeping; cheap.

ELEVENTH ST., 404 N.—Newly furnished front and back rooms; one minute to P. O.

FRANKLIN AV., 1730—Front furnished room; $4 per month.

GRATTAN ST., 1006—Rooms, furnished for housekeeping, suitable for gentlemen; also bath; conveniences; very cheap.

JEFFERSON AV., 808 N.—Neatly furnished room for 2 gentlemen; reasonable; upstairs.

KOSCIUSKO ST., 2025 (cor. Russell av.)—Two rooms and kitchen, with laundry; $6.50.

LAWTON AV., 3142—Large, nicely furnished front housekeeping rooms; $2.50 weekly; all convs.

LAWTON AV., 3011—Two rooms; large porch; nice for small family; rent reasonable.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 222 S.—Two small furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with bath.

LEMP AV., 2804—Nice large furnished front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen; gas.

MARKET ST., 410-12—Nicely furnished large, airy rooms; 25c, 35c, 50c day; weekly rates correspond.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1736—Newly furnished second-story room; gents or housekeeping; near Lafayette Park.

MORGAN ST., 3411—One large and one small room, nicely furnished; hot bath.

NINTH ST., 108 N.—Neatly furnished rooms for two gentlemen, in German private family.

OLIVE ST., 1322A—Three connecting furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 3516—2 unfurnished rooms.

OLIVE ST., 2913—Neatly furnished rooms for two persons, $1.50, or one $1.25 weekly.

OLIVE ST., 3648—Newly furnished front and other desirable rooms; gas, hot bath, etc., for those who like superior accommodations.

OLIVE ST., 4050A—New and prettily furnished front room, with alcove; modern; private family; gents.

PINE ST., 1115—Large room, suitable for three young men, $1 each; very pleasant.

PINE ST., 2700 (S. w. cor.)—Front room; handsomely furnished; gas, hot bath.

PORTER WANTED—Colored porter. Usona Hotel, King's highway and McPherson avs.

PORTER WANTED—Strong porter handy with tools. 200 S. 4th.

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ROOMS—Three furnished rooms; one $6, one $8 and one $10 per month; gas and bath; fine location; Suburban and Easton av. cars. Ad. O 48, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—For nicely furnished, airy rooms, at moderate prices, by day or week, hot and cold baths free, call at Hotel Baltimore, 16th and Market.

ROOMERS WANTED—Two roomers; two men or two ladies. Apply 2950 Folsom av.

SEVENTH ST., 3348 S.—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences.

SIXTH ST., 817 N.—Rooms, 15c, 20c, 25c, $1 per week and up; clean and quiet; free baths.

TENTH ST., 802 N.—Furnished room for two gents or couple; housekeeping; $1.50 per week.

THERESA AV., 507—Newly furnished rooms; all modern; $1.25 to $3 per week; 2 for light housekeeping.

TWELFTH ST., 1110 S.—Two rooms for gentlemen or light housekeeping.

VANDEVENTER AV., 521A N.—Second floor furnished room; hot bath, gas; no children; $8.

WASHINGTON AV., 3122—Furnished front room, $12 month; hot bath; telephone; references.

WASHINGTON AV., 3021—Pleasant rooms, quiet home; gentlemen or couple; fine location; on car line.

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WEBSTER, 1308—Two rooms furnished complete for housekeeping; water in room; hall, porch and bath.

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WEST END PL., 510 (Near 35th and Olive)—Nicely furnished rooms; reasonable.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BOARDING—West Morgan st.; newly furnished rooms with board; for gentlemen or couple; in private family. Ad. W 124, Post-Dispatch.

BOARDING—West Morgan st.; 2 newly furnished second story connecting front rooms with board; private family. Ad. W 126, Post-Dispatch.

BRANTNER PL., 3140—Newly furnished rooms with or without board; lowest terms; first-class accommodations.

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COOK AV., 3402—Furnished front room, with board; $3 weekly.

DELMAR BL., 4116—Large pleasant front room; Jewish family; terms moderate.

DICKSON ST., 2900—Well furnished room, with board; modern conveniences; $7 week for [illegible]

FINNEY AV., 3926—Handsomely furnished room; excellent board; modern conveniences.

FINNEY AV., 4215—Furnished front room with board; southern exposure; suitable for couple.

FOURTH ST., 119 S.—Nicely furnished room, with or without board; gentlemen only.

LACLEDE AV., 3827—Wanted, 6 boarders; home cooking; $3.50; room, board and [illegible]

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LOCUST ST., 2807—Large second story room; running water; first-class table and services.

LOCUST ST., 2716—Hall room, with board; for gentleman; $3.50 per week.

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MORGAN ST., 2125—Nice rooms and board; $3.50 per week.

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WASHINGTON AV., 2928—Room with board, second floor; reasonable to quiet couple.

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WEST BELLE PL., 4190—Desirable rooms and board; nice furniture; corner house; convenient to cars.

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WESTMINSTER PL., 4214—Nicely furnished front and other rooms; excellent board; home comforts; reasonable.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

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COTTAGE WANTED—Three or four room cottage with yard; western part of city; rent reasonable. Ad. W 100, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Large, unfurnished front room for light housekeeping. Ad. T 120, Post-Dis.

ROOM WANTED—Gentleman desires single room; private family and college parish preferred; references exchanged. Ad. T 117, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—Couple want 2 unfurnished 2d-story rooms, west of Sarah, convenient to good board; no light housekeeping; give particulars in answer. Ad. W 90, Post-Dispatch.

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE—$5000; general merchandise, doing good business; for sale at invoice price. Ad. Box A, Latham, Kan.

GROCERY—For sale, cash grocery and meat market doing good business, near Worlds Fair site, cheap for cash, if sold at once; no agents. Call or address 6151A Suburban av.

GROCERY—For sale, grocery business in good town of 5000 in southern Illinois; fine location; clean stock of about $3000; owner retiring from business. Ad. D 198, Post-Dispatch.

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LUNCHSTAND—For sale, lunchstand; good location; nice fixtures; good reason for selling. Inquire 1½ S. 14th st.

LUNCH STANDS—For sale, two lunch stands; good places; no opposition; 3211 Laclede av., Compton and Clark.

NOTION STORE—For sale, notion and dry goods store; sickness the cause. 4403 Manchester av.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, good paying well furnished rooming house; $450 cash takes it; worth double. 3568 Page bl.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house, 19 rooms, full of roomers; central location; cause, sickness; bargain. Ad. P 157, Post-Dispatch.

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Soil Rich and Capable of Producing Huge Profits—Nearly All Land in Cuba Taken Up by Americans.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 14.—Although a candidate for the Legislature from the new Twenty-second Senatorial District, Charles A. Allen of Hoopestown, former speaker of the Illinois General Assembly and author of the famous street railway bill which bears his name, has other than political ambitions. He is laying elaborate plans for an immense farm in Cuba, 45 miles northeast of Santiago.

Mr. Allen and a company of Vermilion County politicians and capitalists have just incorporated in the State of Maine "The Hoopeston Land and Cattle Association," which will operate 57,000 acres of land in Cuba valued at $500,000.

"It's a great place for mules," said Mr. Allen, "and we will raise lots of them. We will have to get our stock from Florida and other points in the southern part of the country. We may get some from Texas. I tell you there is money in these mules. All the highways in Cuba are overgrown with vegetation and although the railroads are making rapid advances there is a great demand for mules."

The members of the "Hoopeston Land and Cattle Association" are Charles A. Allen, John L. Hamilton, Henry L. Chase, A. H. Trego, Reed Allen, Dr. J. S. Adsit, M. G. Wolverton and August Seecate, all of Hoopeston and John W. Dale and "Elder" Webster of Danville.

Makes a Trip of Inspection.

Mr. Allen made a trip to Cuba a year ago and traveled 500 miles on horseback on a tour of inspection. The deal for the purchase of the syndicate property was closed a few days ago and the stockholders took out their incorporation papers in Maine. Allen, Hamilton, Chase, Trego and Reed Allen are said to be the principal stockholders.

"I think this is the first Illinois syndicate that has purchased any considerable acreage in Cuba," said Mr. Allen, "and we all think it is a good thing. We will stock up our farm next spring. About 10,000 acres of our land is pasture and they tell me that one acre will support three head of cattle or mules. One acre will support only one steer in this state. The balance of the land is timber and is covered with mahogany, red cedar and rosewood.

"This timber sells today in the rough for $40 a thousand at the water's edge. The pasture land is as level as it is in Illinois and in my travel I found no stagnant water on it. The streams are swift, and some of the land produces 40 tons of sugar cane to the acre. All the revenue of the island is raised through import duties, so we will have no taxes to pay.

Eastern Capitalists Buy Land.

"Capitalists from New York, Boston, Philadelphia and other eastern cities are buying up land in large tracts in Cuba and in a short time it all will be taken up. Cuba has been so longe devastated by war that the country has been practically abandoned and the people have fled to the cities. We bought our land from an agent at Port Principe who represents Spanish nonresidents. Many Spaniards are desirous of selling out all their Cuban interests and good bargains are to be had in spots.

"Land which sold for 50 and 75 cents an acre before the war is now selling as high as $3 an acre. There are two kinds of grass in Cuba. One is called perique, I think, and the other is the guilen grass, which resembles the blue stem grass in Illinois. The prospect looks inviting and we people down in Hoopeston are going to push the project for all it is worth."

"Why did you incorporate in Maine?" was asked.

"Because Maine offers exceptional opportunities to incorporations. The fees there are smaller than in any state in the Union, so far as I have been able to ascertain."

Is an Experienced Farmer.

Representative Allen devotes much of his time to farming and has a fine stable of horses in Vermilion County. John L. Hamilton of Hoopeston, who is treasurer of the Hoopeston Land and Cattle Association, was a candidate for the nomination of state treasurer in 1900 and was defeated by Moses O. Williamson of Galesburg. A. H. Trego is a member of the Hoopeston Canning Co. and M. G. Wolverton is Allen's law partner. John Dale formerly was county clerk of Vermilion County. The other members of the syndicate are capitalists.

Representative Allen was chairman of the house judiciary committee a year ago and has been prominent in Republican politics of Illinois for years. He was first elected to the lower branch of the general assembly in 1884 and was one of the leaders in the Logan-Morrison senatorial contest in 1885. He has served continuously in the house since that time and was elected temporary speaker in 1897, at which time he was chairman of the Republican steering committee and chairman of the judiciary committee.

He has a string of racing horses at Hoopeston and always is willing to discuss farming in seasons when politics is dull and party issues are riding at anchor.

APPEAL FOR DROUTH VICTIMS.

Gov. Sayer of Texas Asks Aid for the Sufferers.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 14.—Gov. Sayers has issued the following appeal for aid for the residents of Zapata and Starr Counties, which are stricken by the drouth:

"To the People of Texas—Information has reached me that there is great and widespread suffering among the people of Zapata and Starr counties, on account of the severe and protracted drouth which has prevailed in that section of the state. I therefore urgently appeal to you to immediately contribute to their relief. All moneys should be sent to F. W. Seabury, Rio Grande City, Tex., who will see to their expenditure. Supplies other than money should be forwarded to J. Villegras & Bro., Laredo, Tex., who will provide for their shipment to reliable parties in those counties. The railway companies of the state are requested to provide free transportation for the supplies.
JOSEPH D. SAYERS, Governor."

NOLAND LEADS TOURNAMENT.

Concluding Matches for Three-Cushion Billiard Honors Played This Week.

Finals in the three-cushion billiard tournament in progress at the Grand will be played this week. Noland leads at the present time, and appears to have the amateur championship title of Missouri won. Following is the present standing:

Player.	Won.	Lost.	Av.	[illegible]
Noland	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Campbell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stone	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Adams	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wright	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peterson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hutchings	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Wheeler	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SCHEDULE FOR FINAL WEEK.

Monday—Adams vs. Hutchings.
Tuesday—Noland vs. Adams.
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TOTS HAND IN HAND DRAGGED UNDER CAR

WALTER ALTHAGE, AGED 7, ATTEMPTED TO SAVE SISTER'S LIFE.

GAVE UP CHANCE TO ESCAPE

Both Were Thrown Beneath Front of Car and Suffered Concussion of the Brain.

While walking hand in hand across the street in front of their home Sunday afternoon Walter and Hilda Althage, brother and sister, aged 7 and 5, were struck by a Cherokee line car. The boy, who saw the car first, gave up his own chance of getting out of its way in trying to drag his sister from danger.

Both children are in a serious condition, and the girl's recovery is pronounced almost impossible.

The injured children are the only son and daughter of William Althage and wife of 3335 Minnesota avenue. They visited a schoolmate living a short distance from their home Sunday afternoon, and their returning path led them across the street car tracks at Minnesota avenue and Cherokee street.

With his sister's hand clasped tightly in his own the boy stopped at the street crossing to wait until an east-bound car had passed. Then it was that the two stepped in front of the west-bound car, which they had not seen.

Little Hilda, who had run a half step ahead of her brother, and whom he had vainly tried to pull out of the way of the car, was struck while in the middle of the track. Walter was also knocked down and dragged under the car.

Both suffered concussion of the brain. They were taken to their homes, where Dr. W. E. Gaul attended them.

CITY NEWS.

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KUEHNE FUNERAL MONDAY

Veteran Fruit Dealer Died at His Home on South Broadway After a Short Illness.

The funeral of Magnus Kuehne, who died Friday night after a short illness at his home, 1316 South Broadway, is to be held Monday afternoon, and the interment will be in SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Mr. Kuehne was a pioneer fruit dealer, starting with a small retail fruit establishment on South Broadway, which afterward grew into a commission house.

He was 72 years old and a native of St. Gallen, Switzerland. He came to America in 1849 and was first employed as a bellboy in the old St. Charles Hotel at New Orleans. He came to St. Louis in 1853. He was married in 1860 to Miss Magdalena Seitz, who, with six children, survives him.

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MAJ. WALLER IS ACQUITTED.

He Did Not Slay Filipinos Without Trial in Samar.

MANILA, April 14.—Maj. L. T. Waller has been acquitted by court-martial of the charge of killing natives of Samar without trial.

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CONGRESS HAS NO FAVORS FOR ROOT

BREACH WIDENS BETWEEN IT AND WAR SECRETARY.

LAWMAKERS ARE REBUFFED

Occupant of Department Locks Doors Against Senators and Representatives, Stirring Their Anger.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The breach between the secretary of war and Congress widens.

Senators and representatives rarely call at the war department now. Formerly they called in large numbers every day.

This condition is due to the fact that the secretary has ignored so many congressional requests and suggestions.

At one time the secretary even went the length of locking all doors to his office early in the afternoon and senators and representatives could not get their cards to him, as all messengers were withdrawn inside.

Just now the secretary is being bombarded with formal demands from both branches of Congress for explanations as to this or that, effort to get satisfactory replies to personal requests having failed.

Mr. Root is sorely displeased, as it has been necessary to disclose conditions which the department would rather have withheld from the public.

Congress is now treating Secretary Root's requests for military legislation with indifference equal to that shown congressional callers at the department.

The sercetary is being made to feel that Congress is too big to trifle with, and that he is in danger of facing a situation that would make his incumbency untenable.

BEGGAR RETIRES; HAS $12,000 SAVED

FRANCISCO GORGIA SHOWS BANK BOOK IN COURT AND PAYS $5 FINE IN SMALL COINS.

IN "BUSINESS" MANY YEARS

Being Sixty Years Old He Now Will Now Go to Italy and Enjoy His "Earnings."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Tender-hearfted persons in the Harlem Police Court Saturday were shocked when Francisco Gorgia, an aged, shriveled and miserable looking Itlaian, was fined $5 for begging. The white-haired old man looked appealingly about the room, and, from long habit, put his hand out, but, quickly recovering himself and glancing uneasily at the magistrate, he brought forth a grimy old bag and counted out pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters until he had paid his fine. Then he paid $5, also in small change, to his lawyer. By this time a crowd was about him. To the astonishment of the court attaches and dismay of those who had sympathized with him, he produced a package containing $150 in bills, and a bankbook on the Bank of Rome, Italy, showing he had $12,000 on deposit there. Gorgia, who is 60, says he will retire from "business." He thinks a man should retire at 60.

"I sent $2000 to my daughter Maria last May. She's soon to be married," the old man chuckled.

Gorgia has been in this country 35 years, and was one of the first settlers in "Little Italy." Soon after arriving here he hurt his hand, and, to make a living, got a hand organ. He did so well with it that when his hand got well he had no desire to labor. From that time Gorgia and work have been strangers.

Every Saturday evening he has been at 125th street and Third avenue, where he appealed to the sympathies of the shoppers. As he grew on in years his appearance became more and more decrepit, until today he is a bent, miserable object, seemingly suffering from some deformity.

Eighteen years ago he went back to Italy, where he married, returning two years later to resume "business." He made several trips to Italy since then, to put in the Bank of Rome the money he begged in this city. He lived in squalor in a single small room, and it is said he has lived on nothing but crusts of bread and stale beer, except when he got food without cost.

Policeman Platt, who arrested him, says he played the role of beggar with wonderful skill. He would beg when pedestrians were passing, but when a policeman appeared he would grind his wheezy organ, chant in a mournful tone and look miserable.

Gorgia told his lawyer, Benjamin Baker, that he will return to Italy and enjoy his wealth, as he cannot afford to pay $5 fines.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

As glycerine dries and cracks the skin, never use it. Satin-Skin Cream replaces all applications. Soothes, heals, beautifies. 25c. At Barr's.

JEWISH ALLIANCE WORK.

Eleven Years of Useful Existence to Be Celebrated.

The Jewish Alliance, prominent among Jewish charitable institutions, closes the 11 years of its existence next Thursday. The event will be celebrated in conjunction with the closing exercises of its school, which will be held in the new Jewish educational building, Ninth and Carr streets, on that evening.

The past school season has been the most successful in the history of the organization, over five hundred pupils having been enrolled.

The officers of the society who have done much to make the educational movement a success are: Elias Michael, president; Rev. Dr. S. Sale, vice-president; B. Altheimer, treasurer and Albert Loth, secretary. The board of directors are: Mrs H. Stix and Messrs. A. Armstein, William Stix, J. Glaser, William S. Goldstein and Rev. Dr. H. J. Messing. Superintedent, Emil Mayer.

DETROIT'S MURDER RECORD.

Four Persons Killed in That City Since Wednesday Night.

DETROIT, April 14.—John Kolasinski of 247 Lovett street, who was shot by Martin Nowakowski last evening during a quarrel, in Nowakowski's saloon, died today without regaining consciousness. He is the fourth person killed in Detroit since last Wednesday night. Miss Carrie M. Jennett was murdered late Wednesday night by Prof. J. M. Miller, who is already serving a life sentence for the act. George H. Heywood was killed early Thursday morning and W. M. Jones is under arrest on suspicion, with much circumstantial evidence against him. Last night Matthew Smith, a teamster, who was jerked out of his wagon last Thursday by Joseph Scott, a negro, died from the injuries he sustained. Scott is under arrest.

Revival Meeting.—The Christitan Volunteer Corps of Denver, Colo., has commenced a revival meeting at Seventh and Gratiot streets, in Slone's Mission. Commander O. B. Vail reports that all Christian workers are invited to attend this meeting.

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WOMEN'S SCREAMS ROUTED BURGLAR

REVOLVER DID NOT QUIET MRS. MUELLER AND DAUGHTER.

THIEF SECURED BUT 37 CENTS

Was Fired Upon as He Left Home of Fred Gessa, Which He Had Been Prevented From Robbing.

A woman's screams, which the loaded revolver of a menacing burglar could not quiet, frustrated a burglary at the home of Emil Gessa, 5717 Florissant avenue, and the intruder got but 37 cents to console him for being driven from the house and fired upon.

Mrs. Theresa Mueller, aged 70, Mrs. Gessa's mother, was awakened by the entering burglar, and arose from bed to see what was the matter. As she turned up a lamp which had been burning dimly, she saw the burglar, revolver in hand, at the opposite side of the room.

Mrs. Mueller screamed. The man leveled his weapon at her and made threats that he would fire, but she screamed the louder. Then Mrs. Gessa came. Like her mother, she screamed continuously, and the sight of the revolver, levelled one instant at her and the next at her mother, failed to have the soothing effect intended by the visitor.

Fred Gessa, Mrs. Gessa's son, heard the cries of his mother and grandmother, and came in just as the burglar was on his way down the stairs, having backed out of the presence of the two women. He fired after the fugitive.

A pile of scattered clothing showed that the thief had commenced work before Mrs. Mueller heard him. He had taken 37 cents, 35 of which was from the pocket of a jacket belonging to Miss Lydia Gessa.

MOTORMAN THOUGHT HUMAN BODY A SACK

INJURY OF WOMAN EXPLAINED IN PECULIAR MANNER.

CAR RAISED TO RELEASE HER

Aged Mrs. Priesmeyer Fell on Track and Her Body Became Wedged Under Car.

Mrs. Louisa Priesmeyer, 72 years old, lay unconscious under a Bellefontaine car at Eleventh and Hebert streets for an hour Sunday evening, while men with jackscrews labored to raise the car so as to liberate her body.

When she was taken from the car, under which she had been dragged, she was found to have a probably fatal concussion of the brain. She was taken to her home, 1709½ North Tenth street.

The motorman, John T. Swift of 5315 Michigan avenue, could not account for the accident. He declares that he saw the woman's body lying across the rails, and thought in the twilight that a sack had been thrown across the track. When he saw that the object was a woman it was too late, he says, to bring the car to a full stop.

Bystanders say that the woman was crossing the street a short distance in front of the car, and fell on the track.

Mrs. Priesmeyer had been spending the afternoon at the home of her son, Frederick Priesmeyer, 5260 Talcott avenue. She was on her way home when the accident occurred.

An attempt was at first made to extricate the woman from her position beneath the car. This could not be done, it was found, except by the use of lifting apparatus, and this work consumed an hour.

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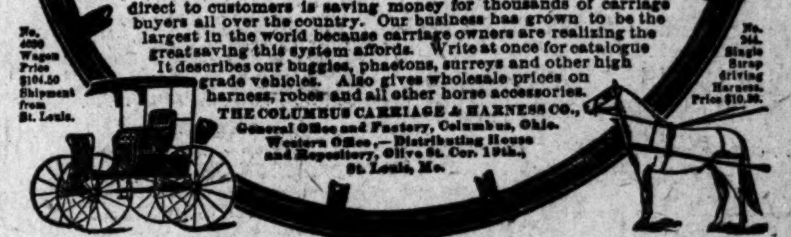

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